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No. 10,454.] LONDON, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1888. [ONE PENNY.

NOTICE.—The CHARGE for ADVERTISEMENTS of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES and DEATHS is FIVE SHILLINGS for THREE LINES and ONE SHILLING per LINE AFTERWARDS. Payments for these announcements must be made by P.O. order or cheque.

BIRTHS.

ALISON.—On the 1[illegible] inst., at Bermuda, the wife of A. Alison, [illegible]

COWLEY.—On the 17th inst., at Gloucester-terrace, Hyde Park, the wife of J. H. [illegible] Cowley, of a son.

[illegible]—On the 20th ult., at Barcelona, the wife of J. H. [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 20th inst., at Merton-road, South Hampstead, the wife of H. T. [illegible]

HAUGHTON.—On the 20th inst., at Woodlands, Morley, Wy[illegible] the wife of W. J. Haughton, of a son.

[illegible]—On the 19th inst., at Gordon-villas, Woolwich, the wife of [illegible]

HULBATT.—On the 7th inst., at Cairo, the wife of H. Hulbatt, [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 20th inst., at 63, Regent-street, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 20th inst., at Upper Belgrave-street, S.W., Mrs. [illegible]

LOCKHART.—On the 19th inst., at Shelburne Hall, Cheltenham, [illegible]

[illegible]—On the [illegible] inst., at Seaford-street, Liverpool, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 19th inst., at West Malvern, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible]—On the [illegible] inst., at Endymion-road, Brixton-hill, the wife of [illegible]

ROBINSON.—On the 19th inst., at Overdale, Skipton-in-Craven, [illegible]

SONNENTHAL.—On the 19th inst., at Boundary-road, Abbey-road, [illegible]

WALKER.—On the [illegible] inst., at [illegible], Norwich, the wife of Norman [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 19th inst., at Eccleston-crescent, Sheffield, the wife of [illegible]

[illegible]—On the 20th inst., at Norbury, West Norwood, the wife of [illegible]

WOOLLEY.—On the 19th inst., at Campion-grove, Kensington, the wife of E. Woolley, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BAYLIS—BENSLEY.—On the 19th inst., at St. Bartholomew's, [illegible]

[illegible]

ERSKINE—BRUCE.—On the 17th inst., at St. Mary Abbot's, [illegible]

[illegible]

DEATHS.

BARTLETT.—On the 18th inst., at Wiesbaden, Germany, [illegible]

[illegible]

FUNERALS by PETER ROBINSON.

GENERAL NURSING INSTITUTE, [illegible]

[illegible]

ROYAL NATIONAL LIFEBOAT INSTITUTION. [illegible]

[illegible]

RAGGED SCHOOL UNION.—FUNDS UR[GENTLY] [illegible]

HELPLESS, HOPELESS, HOMELESS.—[illegible]

TO the CHARITABLE.—FUNDS are urgently [illegible]

ST. SAVIOUR'S HOSPITAL, [illegible]

CITY INSTITUTION for DISEASES of the SKIN, [illegible]

HOMŒOPATHIC HOME for WOMEN, [illegible]

[illegible]

CONTRACT for PROVISIONS, &c.—The Guar[dians] [illegible]

CITY of LONDON.—Valuable PUBLIC HOUSE, [illegible]

CITY of LONDON.—Valuable BUSINESS PRE[MISES] [illegible]

EALING, W.—PREMISES REQUIRED for POST-[OFFICE] [illegible]

THE LONDON and PROVINCIAL DRAPERY EXCHANGE [illegible]

THE LONDON and PROVINCIAL DRAPERY EXCHANGE [illegible]

TELEGRAPH.—Forthcoming EXAMINATION. [illegible]

NAVAL INSTRUCTOR, to prepare candidates for [illegible]

NORFOLK COUNTY ASYLUM, Thorpe, near Norwich.—WANTED, a COOK, [illegible]

LONDON HOSPITAL NURSING HOME, Whitechapel.—KITCHENMAID WANTED. [illegible]

LONDON HOSPITAL NURSING HOME, Whitechapel.—SCULLERYMAID WANTED. [illegible]

ROYAL HOSPITAL for CHILDREN and WOMEN, Waterloo Bridge-road, S.E.—COOK REQUIRED. [illegible]

A THOROUGHLY-TRAINED NURSE WANTED [illegible]

ASSISTANT LAUNDRESS WANTED, at the [illegible] JNO. H. RUTHERGLEN, Clerk to the Guardians. [illegible]

TAILOR REQUIRED, as attendant, at the City of London Lunatic Asylum, near Dartford, Kent. [illegible]

MONEY LENT privately (without bill of sale or sureties), [illegible]

MONEY LENT to City Clerks.—If you require £5 [illegible] WALTER EARL and CO., [illegible]

ARE YOU in WANT of MONEY?—If so, apply [illegible]

CRYSTAL PALACE.—Admission To-day, 10.0 to [illegible] LAST DAY of GREAT NATIONAL POULTRY, PIGEON, CAVY, and RABBIT SHOW [illegible]

CRYSTAL PALACE.—HENRY J. LESLIE'S COMPANY, [illegible] TO-DAY, [illegible] in DOROTHY. [illegible]

PROMENADE CONCERTS.—CRYSTAL PALACE. EVERY THURSDAY and SATURDAY EVENING. [illegible]

PROMENADE CONCERTS.—CRYSTAL PALACE. Madame FLORENCE NORMAN will SING THIS EVENING, [illegible]

CRYSTAL PALACE.—SATURDAY CONCERT, [illegible]

ROYAL AQUARIUM, TO-DAY.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT of JOSEPH DARBY, [illegible] CHAMPION JUMPER of the WORLD.—EVERY AFTERNOON at 4.15, EVERY EVENING at 10.15.—ROYAL AQUARIUM.

LA BELLE FATMA.

LA BELLE FATMA, "The Beauty of Tunis," [illegible]

BLONDIN, BLONDIN, BLONDIN, the Hero of Niagara.—[illegible]

BLONDIN, BLONDIN, BLONDIN.—[illegible]

BLONDIN, BLONDIN, BLONDIN.—[illegible]

ROYAL AQUARIUM. TO-DAY.

[illegible]

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—Grand NITE and Mrs. MITE, [illegible]

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—Professor BECKWITH'S SWIMMING ENTERTAINMENT, [illegible] TWICE DAILY, at 1.0 and 8.0.

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—PERFORMANCES con[tinuous] [illegible]

ROYAL AQUARIUM.—BENEFIT of CHARLIE HORNE, MONDAY NEXT, [illegible]

MR. and Mrs. GERMAN REED'S ENTERTAINMENT.—[illegible]

TALLY HO!—TO-DAY, at three. [illegible]

JOHN BULL ABROAD.—TO-DAY, at 3.30, an [illegible]

THE BO'SUN'S MATE.—First Time, MONDAY EVENING, [illegible] REED'S ENTERTAINMENT, ST. GEORGE'S HALL, [illegible]

HECAT.—EGYPTIAN HALL.—DAILY, at [illegible]

MOHAWK MINSTRELS.—NEW PROGRAMME. [illegible] AGRICULTURAL HALL.

BETSY, THE BUTTERMAN'S DAUGHTER. [illegible] MOHAWK MINSTRELS' ENTERTAINMENT.

NIAGARA in LONDON.—[illegible]

NIAGARA in LONDON.—HALF-A-MILLION [illegible]

NIAGARA in LONDON.—[illegible]

NIAGARA in LONDON.—An accepted London [illegible]

WHERE is NIAGARA in LONDON?—YORK-STREET, [illegible] NIAGARA-STREET or NEW YORK-STREET.

MOORE and BURGESS MINSTRELS [illegible]

IRONMONGERS', IRON and METAL TRADES' EXHIBITION, AGRICULTURAL HALL, [illegible]

IRONMONGERS' EXHIBITION.—[illegible]

IRONMONGERS' EXHIBITION, AGRICULTURAL HALL, [illegible]

OLYMPIA.—The WINTER EXHIBITION.—[illegible] GRAND CHRISTMAS FAIR [illegible]

OLYMPIA.—CHRISTMAS FAIR PROMENADE [illegible] MESSIAH, CHRISTMAS EVE.

ST. JAMES'S HALL.—MILO DE MEYER. [illegible]

ST. JAMES'S HALL, Piccadilly.—From Nov. 26, [illegible] EVERY EVENING, [illegible] SEANCES of MAGNETISM and NEW HYPNOTISM [illegible] MILO DE MEYER.—[illegible]

ST. JAMES'S HALL.—MILO DE MEYER. [illegible]

MADAME TUSSAUD and SONS.—PRESENT EMPEROR of GERMANY, [illegible]

CHAMBER of HORRORS.—NOTORIOUS CRIMINALS of the CENTURY.—MADAME TUSSAUD'S.

ALHAMBRA.—[illegible] NIGHT of ANTIOPE.—[illegible]

ALHAMBRA.—The New Ballet, IDEALA, at 10.30. [illegible]

ALHAMBRA.—The BEAUTIFUL GERALDINE; [illegible]

THE EMPIRE THEATRE of VARIETIES.—[illegible] DIANA, [illegible]

GREAT is DIANA of the Empire.—Pall Mall Gazette.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE of VARIETIES, Leicester-square, [illegible]

LONDON PAVILION.—The Daily News says: [illegible] it is done is M. de Kolta's secret, and it is a very extraordinary one.

LONDON PAVILION.—The Best Variety Company in London. BUATIER DE KOLTA, [illegible]

OXFORD.—JACKLEY WONDERS, Professor [illegible]

CANTERBURY THEATRE of VARIETIES.—[illegible]

METROPOLITAN, Edgware-road.—New entertainment, DOWN THE AREA, [illegible]

ROYAL, Holborn.—Always a Grand Company.—ALEXANDER'S PANTOMIMIC COMPANY, [illegible]

PARAGON.—Royal American Midgets, GENERAL MITE and Mrs. MITE; [illegible]

NATIONAL AMATEUR BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP.—[illegible]

ROYAL ACADEMY of MUSIC, Tenterden-st., W. NEXT FORTNIGHTLY CONCERT, DEC. 1. [illegible]

MONDAY POPULAR CONCERTS, ST. JAMES'S HALL, MONDAY EVENING NEXT, [illegible]

SATURDAY POPULAR CONCERTS, ST. JAMES'S HALL.—SATURDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, [illegible]

LONDON BALLAD CONCERTS.—23rd Season.

WEDNESDAY NEXT.—FIRST MORNING BALLAD CONCERT, ST. JAMES'S HALL, [illegible]

EVENING BALLAD CONCERTS.—ST. JAMES'S HALL, on WEDNESDAY, [illegible]

LONDON SYMPHONY CONCERTS.—Mr. Henschel, [illegible] SECOND CONCERT, TUESDAY EVENING, Nov. 27, ST. JAMES'S HALL, at 8.30.

LONDON SYMPHONY CONCERTS.—Programme of the SECOND CONCERT, TUESDAY EVENING, [illegible]

THE HECKMANN QUARTET (from Cologne) [illegible]

MADAME ESSIPOFF.

MADAME ESSIPOFF'S PIANOFORTE RECITALS.

MADAME ESSIPOFF will give three PIANOFORTE RECITALS at STEINWAY HALL, [illegible]

HERR MAX HEINRICH and Mr. EMANUEL MOOR.

STEINWAY HALL.—Herr MAX HEINRICH and Mr. EMANUEL MOOR will give three VOCAL and PIANOFORTE RECITALS, on FRIDAY, [illegible]

BOOSEY and CO.'S NEW SONGS:

IN SWEET SEPTEMBER, Hope Temple's popular song, will be SUNG by [illegible]

NEVER LAUGH AT LOVE.—Marzials' popular song, will be SUNG by [illegible]

YES, I LOVE YOU (Frank Moir) will be SUNG by [illegible]

DAY DAWN.—Mr. HERBERT REEVES will [illegible]

THE GOODWIN SANDS (Stephen Adams) will be SUNG by Mr. MAYBRICK, at GLASGOW, THIS DAY, [illegible]

MY LADY'S BOWER (Hope Temple) will be SUNG by Mr. EDWARD LEVETUS, at BIRMINGHAM, [illegible]

TO LOVE.—Miss HELEN D'ALTON will SING [illegible]

BEAUTY'S EYES.—Miss ANNIE DWETLEY [illegible] at HACKNEY, THIS DAY. [illegible]

LA ZINGARA.—Madame PAULINE FEATHERBY will SING [illegible] at GRANTHAM, THIS DAY. [illegible]

MORE AND MORE.—Madame EVANS WARWICK will SING [illegible]

SNOWY-BREASTED PEARL.—Mr. FRANKLIN CLIVE will SING [illegible]

DEAR HEART.—Mr. C. ACKERMANN will SING [illegible]

NONE KNOW HOW I LOVE THEE.—[illegible]

NONE KNOW HOW I LOVE THEE.—Miss [illegible]

NONE KNOW HOW I LOVE THEE.—Miss ADELE MYERS [illegible]

BROTHER AMBROSE.—Mr. ALFRED MOORE [illegible]

KING WEATHERCOCK.—J. L. Roeckel's latest [illegible]

BATH'S HUMOROUS SONGS.—TO-NIGHT, Mr. [illegible]

MATRIMONEE.—Lovett King's famous song will be SUNG by Madame MADELINE HARDY, TO-NIGHT, [illegible]

MATRIMONEE.—Lovett King's famous song will be SUNG by Madame WORRELL, TO-NIGHT, [illegible]

W. MORLEY and CO.'S SONGS worth singing. [illegible]

ASK NOT (Maude V. White's last success), TO-NIGHT, by Miss CARRIE BANTICK, in CITY. [illegible]

THE CHILDREN'S HOME, Cowen's world-renowned song, TO-NIGHT, by Madame WORRELL, at CANNON-STREET HOTEL. [illegible]

THE CHILDREN'S HOME, Cowen's world-renowned song, TO-NIGHT, by Miss EDITH ANDERSON, [illegible]

THE CHILDREN'S HOME, Cowen's world-renowned song, TO-NIGHT, by Miss BLANCHE DE LORME, at KENSINGTON. [illegible]

STRANDED.—H. J. STARK'S most popular bass [illegible]

BELLE ETOILE VALSE.—The prettiest valse ever written, [illegible]

LA POMPADOUR (a Court Dance), by Boggetti. [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM. Lindsay Lennox.

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—This charming song will be SUNG by Mr. SIMS REEVES, [illegible]

MR. SIMS REEVES will SING Lindsay Lennox's popular song, "Love's Golden Dream," [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—[illegible] Mr. EDWARD HALL, at HACKNEY, THIS EVENING. [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—This charming song will be SUNG by Mdlle. NINA CANOVA, at WOOD-GREEN, THIS EVENING. [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—This charming song will be SUNG by Miss FRANCES ROGERS, at WANDSWORTH, THIS EVENING. [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—This charming song will be SUNG by Miss BLANCHE DE LORME, at KENSINGTON, THIS EVENING. [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—This charming song will be SUNG by Mr. EADE MONTEFIORE, at PUTNEY, THIS EVENING. [illegible]

LOVE'S GOLDEN DREAM (Lindsay Lennox).—This charming song will be SUNG by Miss SUSETTA FENN, at TOTTENHAM, THIS EVENING. [illegible]

WICKINS and CO.'S SONGS TO SING:

THE MIGHTY DEEP (Jude) TO-NIGHT, by Mr. A. WALLIS, at LEEDS; [illegible]

THE PARTING HOUR, by Ernest Birch (words by Clement Scott), will be SUNG by Miss SUSETTA FENN, at TOTTENHAM, TO-NIGHT. [illegible]

OUR JACK, by H. Trotère (words by R. Oxenford), will be SUNG by Mr. EGBERT ROBERTS, at the CRYSTAL PALACE PROMENADE CONCERT, TO-NIGHT. [illegible]

HENRY KLEIN'S new song, "Spell-Bound," TO-NIGHT, by Mr. GERVAS COOPER, at BIRMINGHAM; [illegible]

HENRY KLEIN'S humorous song, "Mirabel Lee," TO-NIGHT, [illegible]

ORPHEUS WITH HIS LUTE (Arthur Sullivan's popular song) will be SUNG, by Madame [illegible] at the POPULAR CONCERTS, St. James's Hall, on SATURDAY NEXT.—Metzler and Co., London.

DO I LOVE THEE?—R. B. Addison's popular song will be SUNG by Mr. HIRWEN JONES, [illegible]

ROYAL CHORAL SOCIETY (Royal Albert Hall). Patron—Her Majesty the QUEEN. President—H.R.H. the Duke of EDINBURGH, K.G. [illegible]

ROYAL ALBERT HALL.

MADAME ADELINA PATTI'S last appearance in London [illegible] ROYAL ALBERT HALL on TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 11, [illegible]

ROYAL ALBERT HALL.—FRIDAY, Nov. 30, at [illegible] ST. ANDREW'S DAY.—GRAND SCOTCH FESTIVAL. [illegible]

HERR WALDEMAR MEYER has the honour to announce his FIRST GRAND ORCHESTRAL CONCERT [illegible] THIS EVENING, [illegible]

HERR WALDEMAR MEYER'S FIRST CONCERT, THIS EVENING, [illegible]

THE LONDON ACADEMY of MUSIC, St. George's Hall, Langham-place, W.; [illegible] Principal—H. WYLDE, Mus. Doc. Cantab., Gresham Professor. [illegible]

THE GRANTING of DIPLOMAS.

[illegible] C. TREW, Hon. Sec.

LONDON ORGAN SCHOOL and COLLEGE of MUSIC.—Established 1865 by the Rev. Scotson Clark, Mus. Bac. Oxon. Patron—His Grace the Archbishop of CANTERBURY. [illegible] T. H. Y. TROTTER, M.A., Mus. Bac. Oxon. [illegible]

BONALLY VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL COLLEGE, [illegible]

KENSINGTON SCHOOL of MUSIC.—Principal, Mr. William Buels.—STUDENTS' CONCERT, DEC. 6. [illegible]

MR. JOHN L. CHILD'S RECITALS.—STEINWAY HALL, MONDAY EVENING, [illegible]

J. B. CRAMER and CO.'S NEW SONGS:

WHY NOT TO-DAY? Edith Cooke.

WHY NOT TO-DAY? New song, by the composer of "I dreamt a dream," will be SUNG, [illegible]

SO LIKE A DREAM. J. L. Roeckel.

SO LIKE A DREAM, J. L. Roeckel's new song, will be SUNG, THIS DAY, STANSTEAD, Mr. HOLBERRY HAGYARD; [illegible]

THE LONGSHOREMAN, E. M. Chesham's popular song, will be SUNG, THIS DAY, HAMPSTEAD, Mr. FRANKLIN CLIVE.—London: J. B. Cramer and Co., 201, Regent-street, W.

THE ANGELUS.—New song, by Odoardo Barri, composer of "The Good Shepherd."

THE ANGELUS (Odoardo Barri), written by Lindsay Lennox, will be SUNG by Mesdames ADELAIDE MULLEN, [illegible]

EMMANUEL.—Paul Rodney's grand sacred song, TO-NIGHT, by Miss MARION HOLMES, at PECKHAM; [illegible]

EMMANUEL.—Paul Rodney's grand sacred song, TO-NIGHT, by Miss KATE HEMMING, at SYDENHAM; [illegible]

THE ANGEL CAME, Cowen's immensely successful song, TO-NIGHT, by Miss MARY TUNNICLIFFE, at the PEOPLE'S PALACE; [illegible]

TEARS (Cowen), TO-NIGHT, by Miss HENDEN-WARDE, at SUDBURY, and Madame Pauline Featherby, [illegible]

VOTE FOR CUPID, Odoardo Barri's charming new song of the Primrose League, TO-NIGHT, by Miss ELIZA THOMAS, at BURY ST. EDMUND'S, [illegible]

ALL IN A GARDEN FAIR (Michael Watson), TO-NIGHT, by Miss MARIE GIDOWAY, at NEWBURY; [illegible]

FOR YOU.

FOR YOU.—Miss FLORENCE ST. JOHN will SING this sympathetic and melodious song, at the GAIETY THEATRE, [illegible]

I SHALL HAVE 'EM.—SUNG by Mr. E. J. LONNEN, at the GAIETY THEATRE, [illegible]

E. ASCHERBERG and CO.'S NEW and SUCCESSFUL SONGS, SUNG TO-DAY.—[illegible]

ANCHORED (Michael Watson).—This famous song will be SUNG, THIS EVENING, by Mr. THURLEY BEALE, at HOLBORN; [illegible]

WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO, MY PRETTY MAID? (Seymour Smith).—[illegible]

THEE, MY FLOWER (Bell Mackintosh).—Madame ELLEN LAMB will SING [illegible] at the VESTRY HALL, HAMPSTEAD, THIS EVENING.—[illegible]

HOME AGAIN, by the Hon. Lady Macdonald.—Miss NELLIE LEVEY SINGS this popular and charming song, in the CITY, TO-NIGHT.—London: Weekes and Co.

MR. REGINALD GROOME will SING Mrs. [illegible]

HUTCHISON'S "Say that I love alway" will be SUNG, TO-NIGHT, by Mr. SINCLAIR DUNN, [illegible]

THINE FOR EVER, Leigh Kingsmill's immensely popular new song, will be SUNG, TO-NIGHT, by Mr. FRED. J. COLLINS, at DOVER; [illegible]

WHO WAS IT? (J. L. Roeckel) will be SUNG by Madame FLORENCE WINN, at the ATHENÆUM, [illegible]

SOMEBODY'S SWEETHEART VALSE, by Popolo Rosa.—This beautiful valse is PLAYED NIGHTLY at the GAIETY THEATRE, Dublin. [illegible]

MACKENZIE'S POPULAR SONG, "In Our Boat," will be SUNG by Madame ELLEN LAMB, at the VESTRY HALL, Hampstead, TO-NIGHT.—London: Novello, Ewer, and Co.

READY, READY, READY.—Claude Ridley's stirring bass or baritone march song will be SUNG by many leading vocalists. [illegible]

LUNA BELLA VALSE, charming new valse by Alpretto [illegible]

THE NAVAL BRIGADE (Hawkins) will be SUNG, TO-DAY, at the CRYSTAL PALACE, by Mr. EGBERT ROBERTS; [illegible]

A LOVER'S ADVICE (Mrs. Moncrieff).—This new and charming song will be SUNG by Miss HENDEN WARDE, at SUDBURY, TO-DAY. [illegible]

WILCOCK BROS., NEW SONGS, TO-NIGHT.—[illegible]

THE OLD AND THE YOUNG MARIE.—Cowen's most successful song will be SUNG by Mr. EDWARD HALL, at the MANOR ROOMS, Hackney, THIS EVENING.—[illegible]

MISS ANNIE CHAPPELL (Mrs. Ralph Dawes) will SING Arditi's "Il Bacio," at BRIGHTON, TO-NIGHT; [illegible]

HERR L. EMIL BACH will PLAY, at the ASSOCIATION DES ARTISTES MUSICIENS, in BRUSSELS, [illegible]

MR. HOWARD REYNOLDS (solo cornet à pistons) will PLAY [illegible]

MR. DAN GODFREY'S SELECT ORCHESTRAL BAND [illegible]

CARDIFF EXHIBITION BUILDINGS WORLD'S FAIR and CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL.—SPACES to be LET [illegible]

NOVELLO'S ORATORIO CONCERTS. Conductor, Dr. Mackenzie. The season will consist of six CONCERTS, to be given at ST. JAMES'S HALL. On DEC. 6, "Judith"; Dec. 13, "Messiah"; Jan. 23, 1889, "Elijah"; Feb. 28, "The Dream of Jubal," &c.; March 10, "The Light of Asia"; April 9, "Saul."—Subscription for the six concerts, stalls, £2 12s. 6d.

NOVELLO'S ORATORIO CONCERTS.—JUDITH, by C. H. Parry, THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 6 (for the first time in London). [illegible]

ST. JAMES'S HALL.—Miss WINIFRED PARKER'S FIRST EVENING CONCERT, TO-MORROW, at eight. [illegible]

MR. ISIDOR DE LARA'S SECOND VOCAL RECITAL.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, Nov. 27, at 3.30, STEINWAY HALL, [illegible]

ROYAL VICTORIA HALL, Waterloo Bridge-road. THIS NIGHT, BALLAD and OPERATIC CONCERT and COSTUME TABLEAUX. [illegible]

MR. RALPH STUART, with the kind assistance of Herr L. Emil Bach (Pianist to the Royal Prussian Court), will give a PIANOFORTE RECITAL at PRINCES' HALL, Piccadilly, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, [illegible]

MR. CLAUDE TREVOR'S MATINÉE D'INVITATION will take place DEC. 10, [illegible]

BRIGHTON DOME.—Madame ADELINA PATTI'S ONLY APPEARANCE this season, at Mr. KUHE'S GRAND EVENING CONCERT, THIS DAY (Thursday), Nov. 22. [illegible]

MASKELYNE, COOKE, and entire EGYPTIAN HALL COMPANY on TOUR. FREE TRADE HALL, Manchester. Fourth week. Will return to their Home of Mystery Dec. 17, with new wonders for the Christmas programme.

INSTITUTE of PAINTERS in OIL COLOURS, Piccadilly, W.—The ANNUAL EXHIBITION is NOW OPEN, from ten till five. Admission 1s. The Galleries will be illuminated at dusk and on dark days. W. T. BLACKMORE, Secretary.

FRENCH GALLERY, 120, Pall-mall.—Prof. H. Siemiradzki's great work, THE PIRATES' CAVE, and other pictures by British and foreign artists, now ON VIEW.—Admission, 1s.

GAINSBOROUGH GALLERY.—NOW OPEN, from ten to six, for exhibition of colossal picture, H.M. the LATE EMPEROR FREDERICK III. LYING in STATE in CASTLE FRIEDRICHSKRON. Admission 1s.—Old Bond-street.

GROSVENOR GALLERY.—FIRST EXHIBITION of PASTELS NOW OPEN, from ten a.m. to six p.m. Admission 1s.

NINETEENTH CENTURY ART SOCIETY, the CONDUIT-STREET GALLERIES.—The AUTUMN EXHIBITION NOW OPEN, from ten to six. FREEMAN and MARRIOTT, Secretaries.

THE ANNUAL WINTER EXHIBITION of OIL PAINTINGS, by Artists of the British and Foreign Schools, is NOW OPEN, at THOMAS M'LEAN'S GALLERY, 7, Haymarket (next the theatre).—Admission, including catalogue, 1s.

THE VALE OF TEARS.—DORÉ'S LAST GREAT PICTURE, completed a few days before he died, NOW ON VIEW, at the DORÉ GALLERY, 35, New Bond-street, with his other great pictures, from ten to six.—1s.

ADAM AND EVE and THE WHITE SLAVE.—Bukovac's two celebrated PICTURES, now ON VIEW at EAGLE-PLACE, Piccadilly (opposite St. James's Hall).—Open ten to six. Admission 1s.

BLACK and WHITE.—Mr. MENDOZA'S SIXTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION of DRAWINGS in Black and White NOW OPEN, at ST. JAMES'S GALLERY, 4a, King-street, St. James's.—Admission 1s., including catalogue.

THE QUEEN AND THE WHOLE OF THE ROYAL FAMILY AT WINDSOR, 1887.—Her Majesty the Queen has graciously permitted this grand picture to be temporarily EXHIBITED, for a few days only, at Mr. MENDOZA'S, ST. JAMES'S GALLERY, King-street, St. James's, [illegible]

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EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT, 1880.—The LONDON GUARANTEE and ACCIDENT COMPANY (Limited) INSURES EMPLOYERS against claims under the above Act, [illegible] E. G. LAUGHTON ANDERSON, Secretary. Chief Office, 10, Moorgate-street, E.C.

ACCIDENT INSURANCE.—£6 per week temporary total disablement allowance, and £1,000 in the event of [illegible] LONDON GUARANTEE and ACCIDENT COMPANY (Limited), 10, Moorgate-street, E.C. E. G. LAUGHTON ANDERSON, Secretary.

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ENGLISH BANK of RIO DE JANEIRO (Limited).

Capital authorised and subscribed	£1,000,000
Paid up	£500,000
Reserve fund	£140,000

Branches in Brazil—At Rio de Janeiro, Pernambuco, Santos, Para, Sao Paulo, Porto Alegre, and Bahia. Agency in the Argentine Republic—At Buenos Ayres. [illegible] A. DICK-CUNYNGHAM, Sub-Manager. 2a, Moorgate-street, E.C.

THE FREEHOLD INVESTMENT and BANKING COMPANY of AUSTRALIA (Limited), Melbourne. [illegible] C. GOULDEN MILLER, Manager.

STANDARD BANK of SOUTH AFRICA (Limited). (Bankers to the Government of the Cape of Good Hope.) Head Office—10, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, London, E.C.

Subscribed capital	£4,000,000
Paid-up capital	£1,000,000
Reserve fund	£450,000

This bank grants drafts on the principal towns in the Cape Colony, Griqualand West (Diamond Fields), Natal, and Transvaal, and transacts every description of banking business connected with the South African Colonies and States. [illegible] J. CHUMLEY, London Manager.

THE LIBERATOR BUILDING SOCIETY, 20, Budge-row, Cannon-street, London, E.C. [illegible] F. H. HOCKE.

UNION DEPOSIT BANK (Registered), No. 17, KING WILLIAM-STREET, Charing-cross, London, W.C. Established 1867. ADVANCES MADE in TOWN or COUNTRY [illegible] EDWARD JOHNS, Manager.

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PENINSULAR and ORIENTAL COMPANY (carrying H.M.'s mails) to INDIA, CHINA, the STRAITS, AUSTRALIA, CEYLON, EGYPT, MALTA, and GIBRALTAR. ACCELERATED THROUGH SERVICES, as under:

BOMBAY and KURRACHEE, by P. and O., from LONDON and BRINDISI EVERY WEEK. [illegible]

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AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, and TASMANIA. The P. and O. COMPANY'S STEAMERS, carrying HER MAJESTY'S MAILS, leave LONDON for SYDNEY, Melbourne, Adelaide, and Albany direct, calling at Brindisi, [illegible]

CHEAP RETURN TICKETS to the EAST.—The P. and O. COMPANY issue return tickets [illegible]

GIBRALTAR, Malta, Brindisi, Port Said, and Ismailia.—P. and O. COMPANY despatch WEEKLY from LONDON [illegible]

ALEXANDRIA from LONDON, by sea, by P. and O., EVERY ALTERNATE THURSDAY, [illegible]

PENINSULAR and ORIENTAL COMPANY.—For passage and freight apply at 122, Leadenhall-street, and 25, Cockspur-street. [illegible]

AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA.—ORIENT LINE.—FORTNIGHTLY SERVICE.—[illegible] NAPLES, [illegible] ALBANY, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, and SYDNEY [illegible]

[illegible]

BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited).—Mail and Passenger STEAMERS to ZANZIBAR, Kurrachee, Malabar Coast Ports, and Persian Gulf, Colombo, Madras, and Calcutta, [illegible]

ZANZIBAR, via SUEZ CANAL.—BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S SERVICE, from LONDON.—[illegible]

CALCUTTA.—STAR LINE of STEAMERS from LIVERPOOL, calling at COLOMBO [illegible]

ANCHOR LINE.—INDIAN SERVICE.—[illegible] LIVERPOOL to BOMBAY DIRECT. [illegible] LIVERPOOL to CALCUTTA DIRECT. [illegible]

NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, AUSTRALIA, calling at Teneriffe, Cape Town, and at Hobart, [illegible] SHAW, SAVILL, and ALBION COMPANY (Limited) [illegible]

NEW ZEALAND and AUSTRALIA, via Teneriffe, Cape Town, and Hobart.—Shortest Tropical Passage.—Royal Mail Service, under contract with Government of New Zealand.—THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY (Limited) will despatch their magnificent full-powered steamers [illegible]

MESSRS. GREEN'S BLACKWALL LINE.—Passage to Australia.—The splendid clipper-ship BALLACHULISH [illegible]

STEAM.—LONDON to AUSTRALIA, via Teneriffe and Cape of Good Hope.—The ABERDEEN LINE s.s. DAMASCUS, 3,709 tons, will leave the ROYAL ALBERT DOCKS, on DEC. 11, for MELBOURNE and SYDNEY, [illegible] Geo. Thompson and Co., 24, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C.

AUSTRALIA.—The well-known favourite passenger steamer HANKOW will be despatched from LONDON, DEC. 1, for ADELAIDE, Melbourne, and Sydney. [illegible]

AUSTRALIA.—The Only Mail Line at £14 14s.—From LONDON to ADELAIDE, Melbourne, Sydney; [illegible]

UNION LINE.—For SOUTH AFRICAN GOLD FIELDS.—CAPE of GOOD HOPE, NATAL, and EAST AFRICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—[illegible]

TO LISBON in 2½ days and MADEIRA in 5½ days, from England, at reduced fares, by the UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS, leaving SOUTHAMPTON every ALTERNATE FRIDAY.—[illegible]

CASTLE LINE.—For the GOLD FIELDS of SOUTH AFRICA.—CAPE COLONY, NATAL, EAST AFRICA, MAURITIUS, and MADAGASCAR.—The CASTLE COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS sail from EAST INDIA DOCK BASIN, London, [illegible] Apply to Donald Currie and Co., 3 & 4, Fenchurch-st., London, E.C.

LISBON in 60 hours; Grand Canary, Madeira in 4½ days. [illegible] LONDON and DARTMOUTH by the ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS of the CASTLE LINE.—[illegible]

GUION ROYAL and U.S. MAIL STEAMERS.—LIVERPOOL to NEW YORK, EVERY SATURDAY. [illegible]

WHITE STAR LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—LIVERPOOL to NEW YORK, EVERY WEDNESDAY. [illegible]

TO AMERICA, £3 10s. AMERICA, £3 10s.—RED STAR LINE MAIL STEAMERS to NEW YORK or PHILADELPHIA.—[illegible]

CANADA.—DOMINION ROYAL MAIL LINE. Shortest and cheapest route to the Western States, Manitoba, and British Columbia. [illegible] LIVERPOOL to HALIFAX and PORTLAND. [illegible]

NEW YORK DIRECT from LONDON.—WILSON-HILL LINE STEAMERS WEEKLY. [illegible]

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AMERICA, Australia, China, India, New Zealand, South Africa, West Indies, &c.—Regular STEAMERS. [illegible]

CUNARD LINE, White Star, Inman, Dominion, Allan, Beaver, Hill, National, State.—THROUGH TICKETS to AMERICA, Canada, San Francisco, Australia, New Zealand.—Edwin Evans, 61, Chandos-street, Covent-garden, London, W.C.

AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, from 12 guineas [illegible]

PASSAGE TICKETS for all LINES of STEAMSHIPS at PITT and SCOTT'S AGENCY (Estab. 1876), [illegible]

NOTICE.—SALOON PASSENGERS to AUSTRALIA, New Zealand, India, Cape, West Indies, America, Canada, &c., will be SAVED MUCH TIME and TROUBLE if they apply to SEWELL and CROWTHER, [illegible]

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RIO DE JANEIRO.—DIQUE DO COMMERCIO, Mocangué Island.—The above-named DRY DOCK, having undergone thorough repairs, is now able to DOCK and REPAIR VESSELS at trifling cost.—For particulars apply to E. P. Wilson, Rio de Janeiro.

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PARIS.—SHORTEST, CHEAPEST ROUTE.—via NEWHAVEN, DIEPPE, and ROUEN. [illegible]

FOR full particulars see Time Books and Handbills, to be obtained at Victoria, London Bridge, or any other Station, [illegible] By order, A. SARLE, Secretary and General Manager.

The Subscription List will Close at Noon on Monday, the 26th inst. [illegible]

THE PACHUCA SILVER MINING COMPANY (Limited), State of Hidalgo, Mexico.—Capital £30,000, [illegible]

The Subscription List will Close on Tuesday, Nov. 27th.

PITTVILLE MINERAL WATERS COMPANY (Limited).—Incorporated under the Companies Acts 1862 to 1886, [illegible] Capital £10,000, divided into 2,000 Ordinary Shares of £5 each. [illegible] London, Nov. 21st, 1888.

THE LONDON, WOOLWICH, and CLACTON-ON-SEA STEAMBOAT COMPANY (Limited).—Head Offices, 33, Walbrook, London, E.C.—Capital £50,000, in 10,000 shares of £5 each. Balance of First Issue of 5,000 ORDINARY SHARES. [illegible]

MEXICAN MINERAL RAILWAY COMPANY (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given, that the SUBSCRIPTION LIST will CLOSE THIS DAY (Thursday), November 22nd. By order, JAMES MARTIN, Secretary. 4, King-street, Cheapside, E.C.

TASMANIAN MAIN LINE RAILWAY COMPANY (Limited).—CONVERSION of £100,000 PRE-PREFERENCE FIVE PER CENT. DEBENTURES of £100 each.—[illegible] WILLIAM DAVISON, Secretary.

OUDE and ROHILKUND RAILWAY COMPANY (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given, that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Oude and Rohilkund Railway Company (Limited) will be held at the CITY TERMINUS HOTEL, Cannon-street, London, E.C., on THURSDAY, [illegible] C. C. JOHNSTON, Managing Director. [illegible] 14th November, 1888.

JOHN SHAW,

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NO. 5, HAYMARKET, S.W.

NO. 12, WESTBOURNE-GROVE, W.

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THE AMOUNT of STOCK I dealt in this YEAR up to end of last account, November 14, was over EIGHTY-NINE MILLIONS.

£89,000,000.

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TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

CITY, 1,578; WEST-END, 3,580; BRIGHTON, 160.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESSES:

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I WISH to call attention to a new feature in my business, which is of the utmost importance to country dealers. I have made arrangements with the Post Office for a direct wire into my own offices, thus saving some ten to twenty minutes on messages. I need hardly point out the advantages to customers dealing at a distance, who are thus put in actual contact with my offices from every part of the United Kingdom. Thus a message sent from

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POOLS, POOLS, POOLS.—Before joining pools or operating on the Stock Exchange read HERBERT and CO.'S NEW PAMPHLET. [illegible]

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS a YEAR for every £100 deposited, [illegible]

The List of Applications for Shares will be closed on or before Tuesday Next, the 27th inst.

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Directors.

William Henry Quirk, Esq., Metal Merchant, 41, Gracechurch-street, London, E.C., and Liverpool.

Thomas Craven, Esq., Trinity, Edinburgh, and Belsize Park, London.

Frank H. Hensman, Esq., Windsor, and Kimbolton, Huntingdonshire.

Lieut.-General Logan, C.B., 26, Glen Eldon-road, Streatham, S.W.

His Excellency Woods, Pasha, Admiral of the Turkish Fleet, Constantinople.

*Henry Aitken, Esq., Chairman of the Cadzow Coal Company (Limited), Glasgow.

*Will join the Board after allotment.

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Solicitors—Messrs. Harvey and Capron, 1, Clement's Inn, Strand, W.C.

Brokers—Messrs. Lindow, King, and Co., 2, Drapers'-gardens, and Stock Exchange, London, E.C.

Auditors—Messrs. Chatteris, Nichols, and Atkins, Chartered Accountants, 1, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C.

Secretary and Offices—J. R. Coombs, 16, Great Winchester-street, London, E.C.

PROSPECTUS.

This company has been incorporated for the purpose of acquiring, as a going concern, and continuing to work, an important and highly-valuable concession of copper mines named Calabak, in Asia Minor, about 17 miles from the shores of the Mediterranean Sea.

The principal mine is situate in a mountain called "Mardal," 800 feet above the sea, near the village of Calabak, ten miles from Aktchai, a town of about 12,000 inhabitants, which is about seven miles from Aktchai, the shipping port of the district, where all imports of machinery and materials will be despatched to, and ores sent to market from the mines.

The extent of the property is nearly 2½ miles in length, by almost a mile in width, and is the subject of a concession under an Imperial Firman of the Sultan of Turkey, dated the 29th of June, 1888, for a period of 99 years, upon the usual conditions of the payment of the ordinary taxes, about £10 per annum, and of a royalty of 5 per cent. of the net produce of the mines.

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[illegible]	£3 12 0 a ton
Carriage to Aktchai	[illegible]
Freight to Swansea or Liverpool	[illegible]
Royalty	[illegible]
House and sundry expenses	[illegible]
A profit of	£3 12 0 a ton

[illegible]

Dated 21st November, 1888.

ARMY and NAVY INVESTMENT TRUST COMPANY (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given, that the TRANSFER BOOKS of this company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, Nov. 28, to TUESDAY, Dec. 11, both days inclusive, preparatory to the payment of the final dividend for the year ending Nov. 30. The dividend warrants will be posted on Saturday, Dec. 15. F. PRAED, Secretary. 5, Copthall-buildings, E.C., Nov. 20, 1888.

THE LAND MORTGAGE BANK of INDIA (CREDIT FONCIER INDIEN) (Limited).—Notice is Hereby Given, that, in conformity with the provisions contained in the undermentioned DEBENTURES, the following NUMBERS were this day DRAWN, in presence of the Board of Directors and the undersigned Notary Public, for redemption at par on 1st January, 1889, viz.: [illegible]

J. R. BOYSON, Chairman.

Countersigned—W. E. Venn, Notary Public, 3, Pope's Head-alley, E.C.

Dated this 21st day of November, 1888.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ISABEL CONSTABLE, Deceased.—Notice is Hereby Given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the ESTATE of ISABEL CONSTABLE, late of 64, Hamilton-terrace, Saint John's-wood, Middlesex, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 15th of August, 1888, and whose will, with seven codicils thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 15th of September, 1888, by Francis Stephen Clayton, Esquire, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, [illegible] Dated this 19th day of November, 1888. CLAYTON, SONS, and FARGUS, 10, Lancaster-place, Strand, London, W.C., Solicitors to the said Executor.

WILLIAM BAUMANN, Deceased.—Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, Notice is Hereby Given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the ESTATE of WILLIAM BAUMANN, late of 44, Hyde Park-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire (who died on the 9th day of October, 1888, at 21, Clifton-crescent, Folkestone, in the county of Kent, and whose will, and one codicil thereto, were, on the 27th day of October, 1888, proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by Hermann Moritz, of 3, Adam's-court, Old Broad-street, in the City of London, Stockbroker, and Richard Greig, of Badgemore, Henley-on-Thames, in the county of Oxford, Esquire, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to the said executors, addressed to the care of the said Hermann Moritz, at 3, Adam's-court, Old Broad-street, E.C., on or before the 31st day of January, 1889, [illegible] Dated the 19th day of November, 1888. CLARKE, RAWLINS, and CO., 66, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

THE BROWN "ANIMAL SANATORY INSTITUTION" (under the government of the University of London).—Notice is Hereby Given, that a course of five LECTURES, free to the public, as required by the will of Mr. Brown, will be delivered by the Professor-Superintendent, Victor Horsley, Esq., M.B., F.R.S., in the Theatre of the UNIVERSITY of LONDON, Burlington-gardens, W., on the afternoons of NOV. 26 and 30 and of DEC. 3, 5, and 7, commencing each day at five o'clock. Subject, "Epilepsy."—By order of the Senate, ARTHUR MILMAN, M.A., Registrar. Nov. 21, 1888.

NATIONAL SOCIETY of FRENCH TEACHERS in ENGLAND.—The FOURTH ANNUAL COMPETITION in the FRENCH LANGUAGE and LITERATURE, among candidates from all schools in the United Kingdom, will take place on Dec. 1 next. The prizes will be two Gold Medals, given by the French Minister of Public Instruction, and Books given by the Alliance Française. Names of candidates must be sent in on or before Nov. 26.—For regulations and every information apply to the Hon. Secretary, 20, Bedford-street, Strand, W.C.

SUNDAY EVENING CLUB, W.C. Dist.—Organ Recitals, Recitations, Vocal Selections, Conversaziones, select and high class. Ladies and gentlemen can now be elected. Entrance, including annual fee, £1 1s. Members' dance and "Palace" [illegible] Box 1,480, Postal Department, Daily Telegraph, Fleet-street, E.C.

NOTICE.—The NEWSPAPER READING ROOMS at Brown, Gould, and Co.'s Advertising Offices, 53 and 54, New Oxford-street, London, W.C., are NOW OPEN. Admission 2d. All the London daily and the leading British and foreign newspapers can be seen every day. Upwards of 1,500 papers received every week.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—BRAND and CO., Purveyors of Specialities for Invalids to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, and original Manufacturers of Essence of Beef (green label), and other of such specialities, have NOT REMOVED from their sole address, No. 11, Little Stanhope-street, Mayfair, W.

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MONEY MARKET.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Gold operations at the Bank continue upon an important scale, a further sum of £275,000 having been taken out to-day, chiefly for Buenos Ayres, making a net efflux of nearly £1,200,000 since the date of the last return. There was, besides, an active inquiry in the open market for Germany, though withdrawals for that quarter have been checked by the rapid rise in discount terms. About £50,000 has just arrived from Australia, leaving £285,000 still in course of transmission hither, of which £75,000 is due about the end of the month. No remittances are expected from the Continent, and the New York exchange is still below bullion point. But, with an advance in outside discount quotations to about 4½ per cent., and a cable exchange rate on London of 80¾, some supplies may be received from the States. At present large shipments of wheat and cotton are being made from America to this country, though nowadays the exchanges are regulated more by stock than trading operations. On the whole the receipt of gold is regarded as uncertain, while the English public is absolutely committed to many Argentine schemes, and further consignments of coin to Buenos Ayres are very probable, chiefly in connection with the currency wants of new banks that, with mushroom rapidity, have sprung into existence in the Republic. These considerations have strongly affected the discount market, and the charge for three months' bills has risen to 3⅞, ½ per cent. Four months' were quoted 3¾, and six months' 3½, but the supply of long paper is very limited, the Indian institutions having recently largely placed their drafts up to the end of December at relatively lower terms. Meanwhile the absorption of money by the national establishment has further reduced the floating supply, and the rate for short loans has advanced to 2½, 3 per cent. The Bank borrowed an additional large sum for a week and up to the Consols settlement early in December, at 3¾, ⅞. In these circumstances the discount houses may soon raise their allowance for deposits—perhaps to 3 per cent. at call and 3¼ at notice, or ¼ higher. As no official notice has yet been given of a new issue of Treasury bills, it is presumed that the £285,000 in this paper which falls due on Nov. 27 will be paid off, thus increasing the amount of money in Lombard-street to that extent. This transaction is regarded with some surprise, as the Government balance, according to the Treasury statement up to Saturday last, was only £1,428,000 and £1,500,000 was then repayable to the Bank, representing money borrowed for the October dividends on the Funds. It is stated, however, that stock bought in connection with the conversion of the Funds is now being resold, and in this case the public deposits will be largely increased.

Depression is reported in the Stock Exchange, many sales being made on the adverse bullion movement and expected high rates of continuation at the coming settlement, which will begin on Tuesday next. The last prices, however, were not quite the worst, the amount of gold withdrawn from the Bank this afternoon being less than expected in the market, where the estimate was half-a-million. There was very little fresh business, due partly to defective telegraphic communication with the Continent, the result of last night's gale. Three per Cent. Consols fell ⅛ per cent., owing to the prospect of a higher value of money. A similar fall occurred in the Two and Three-quarters per Cents., though the last quotation for the account (96⅝) was ⅛ above the price touched at one period of the day. British Two and a Half per Cents., Indian Government Loans, and Egyptian Guaranteed Three per Cents. also relapsed. Foreign bonds were largely sold, and the fall was more marked than for a long time past. This department is rendered sensitive by the extent of the speculative account for a rise on the Berlin Bourse and by the chance of heavy sales here with any real stringency in money. A noticeable feature was the collapse in Argentine government securities, the decline ranging from 1 to 2 per cent. Hard Dollars and Cedulas were likewise down, as well as Austrian, Costa Rica, Ecuador, French, Greek, Mexican, Peruvian, Santa Fé, Turkish, and Uruguayan.

English railways were nearly all lower, despite the issue of good traffic returns, especially by the Scotch companies. North-Eastern, Great Northern "A," North-Western, Midland, and Great Western fell ½ to 1 per cent. American lines were flat in the earlier hours, but showed a better tendency at the close, mainly owing to New York purchases. Compared with yesterday, Milwaukee Preference recorded 2, Norfolk and Western Preference and Wabash General Mortgage about ½ each, and some of the other descriptions ⅛ to ¼; while New York Central, Reading, and Union Pacific slightly improved. No special change took place in Grand Trunks, though the tendency was firm upon favourable traffic rumours. On the other hand, a fresh fall of fully 1 was apparent in Canadian Pacifics. Mexican, Nitrate, and South American railroads participated in the flatness. East Argentine, however, rose 2, attributed to the news that the guaranteed interest will be paid by the Government. In the miscellaneous section Anglo-American cable and brewery stocks gave way, in addition to the shares of some of the nitrate undertakings. Coal and iron, copper, and diamond securities were offered. De Beers receded to 15⅞ in the morning, and closed at 16, or only ⅛ down on the day. The chief variation in Transvaal gold mines was a rise of 4½ in De Villiers.

Sovereigns to the number of 250,000 were withdrawn from the Bank for Buenos Ayres, and 25,000 for Egypt, making a net outflow of £1,179,000 for the week.

The Orizaba has arrived from Australia with £50,000 in gold.

No variation occurred in bar silver or Mexican dollars. Calcutta Transfers advanced 1-32d, to 1s 4 19-32d. Rupee Paper receded ⅛; the Four and a Half per Cents. were quoted 71, ½, and the Four per Cents., 67½, ⅝.

Continental Bourses were steady in the morning, but subsequently gave way. At Berlin, Egyptian Unified, Lombardo, and one or two others were lower. In Paris, there was finally a reduction in Rio Tinto, Suez Canal, Panama, Crédit Foncier, and Ottoman Bank. Three and Four and a Half per Cent. Rentes each fell 7½c, to 82f 20c and 104f 40c respectively. An advance of 1c, to 25f 31c, was apparent in the exchange on London.

Yesterday at Buenos Ayres the premium on gold advanced to 42·50 per cent.

A prospectus has been issued of the Calabak Copper Company (Limited), which is formed, with a capital of £200,000, in £1 shares, to acquire copper mines in Asia Minor. The property is nearly 2½ miles long and about a mile wide, the principal mine being situate in the Magdal mountain, 1,300ft above the sea. The price to be paid to the vendor is £150,000, including £66,667 in shares. It is notified that the application list will be closed on or before Tuesday next.

Tenders were received at the Bank of England for £350,000 India Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers, and the following allotments were made: Bills on Calcutta, £153,300; on Bombay, £196,100; and on Madras, £600. Tenders for Bills at 1s 4 9-16d will receive about 64 per cent. of the amount applied for; above in full. The total amount of Bills and Transfers sold from April 1 to date was Rx.11,78,80,806, realising £7,902,945. Next week tenders will again be received for £350,000.

The Home railway traffic returns for the past week exhibit the following differences: Increases—Caledonian, £3,603; Eastern and Midlands, £133; Great Northern, £2,760; Great Western, £1,500; London and North-Western, £5,562; London and South-Western, £1,363; London, Chatham, and Dover, £1,333; Metropolitan, £911; Midland, £3,019; North British, £4,130; North-Eastern, £9,134; and North Staffordshire, £706. Decreases—Manchester and Sheffield, £679.

In reply to a cablegram from the chairman of the East Argentine Railway Company (Limited) to the Minister of Interior of the Argentine Republic, the following has been received: "Government has ordered payment of guarantee for East Argentine."

On and after Dec. 1 the Union Bank of Australia (Limited) are prepared to pay the half-year's interest, due at that date, on the debentures of the Palmerston North (Wellington, New Zealand) Corporation Five per Ct. Loan for £30,000.

Notice is given by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company that the interest due Dec. 1 on the Manitoba South-Western Railway First Mortgage Bonds will be paid, on and after that date, at the office of Messrs. Blake, Boissevain, and Co., Copthall-court, E.C., and at the New York Agency of the Bank of Montreal.

For the past week the tramway traffic returns show the following differences: Increases—North Metropolitan, £950; London, £565; London Street, £336; Provincial, £809; Belfast, £337; London Southern, £43; South London, £135; Southampton, £34; Edinburgh, £157; Hull, £3; Burnley, £4; Bordeaux, £24; Calais, £1; Woolwich and South-East London, £42; Imperial, £40; Sunderland, £52; Swansea, £38; Bristol, £210; Dublin, £121; North Staffordshire, £27; North London, £105; West Metropolitan, £110; Southwark and Deptford, £47; Continental Metropolitan, £212; France, £65; and Germany, £112. Decreases—Stockton, £11; Calcutta £30; and Gothenburg, £3.

At the yearly general meeting to-day of the Ilfracombe Hotel Company a 7 per ct. dividend was declared, and £1,100 carried forward.

It is intimated that the Durham and Lord Byron Amalgamated Gold Mining Company have received the following cable, dated Georgetown, Nov. 17: "General clean up, 476 ounces; mill closed in consequence of repairs; teams cannot haul ore at present on account of dry weather."

Preparatory to the payment of the final dividend for the year ending Nov. 30, the transfer books of the Army and Navy Investment Trust Company (Limited) will be closed from Wednesday, Nov. 28, to Tuesday, Dec. 11, both days inclusive.

The directors of the New California (Limited) have received the following telegram, dated Nov. 20, from their manager at the mine: "October output 550 tons; 440 ounces; profit £200."

Letters of allotment have been posted to applicants for the 13,350 shares of £20 each of the Monte Video Waterworks Company (Limited).

The traffic receipts of the London General Omnibus Company (Limited) for the week ending Nov. 18 were £12,084 10s 11d, against £10,020 0s 4d in the corresponding period of 1887.

The following changes occurred in Public Securities:

British Funds.—Three per Ct. Consols *fell* ⅛ per ct.; ditto (Goschen's) for money, ⅛; ditto account, 3-16; British Two and a Half per Cts. and India Three and Three and a Half per Cts., ⅛ each; and Egyptian Guaranteed, ⅛. Consols for money closed at 100⅞, 101; ditto Two and Three-quarters per Cts. (Goschen's) for money, 96⅝, ¾; ditto for the account (Dec. 3), 96 9-16, 11-16; Three per Cts. Reduced for money, 99⅞, 100⅛; Two and a Half per Cts. for money, 85¾, ⅞; ditto for the account (Dec. 3), 85¾, ⅞; Exchequer Bills (March), 5s dis. to par; ditto (June), 5s to 3s dis.; Egyptian Guaranteed Three per Ct. Loan, 99½, 100½; India Three and a Half per Cts., 105⅝, ⅞; ditto Three per Cts., 96¾, 97¼; Bank of England Stock, 319, 321; Metropolitan Board of Works Three and a Half per Cts., 111¾, 112¼; ditto Three per Ct. Stock, 101½, 102½; Corporation of London Three and a Half per Cts., 1889-92, 100, 102; ditto, 1893-98, 101, 103; ditto Birmingham Three and a Half per Cts., 111¼, ¾; ditto Liverpool Three and a Half per Cts., 110½, 111; and Nottingham Three per Cts., 96, ½.

Colonial Government Securities.—Queensland, 1913, *fell* ⅛, to 104½, 105½; ditto Three and a Half per Ct. Scrip, ⅛, to 79½, 80½; Tasmanian Four per Cts., 1, to 103, 104; Canada Three per Cts., ⅛, to 93½, 94½; and South Australian Registered, ⅛, to 109, 110.

Foreign Government Bonds.—Argentine of 1884 and 1886 and ditto Treasury *fell* 2 each; ditto of 1881, 1; ditto of 1882, 1, to 98, 100; ditto Hard Dollars and Cedulas "A" and "B," ½ each; Austrian Gold Rentes, 1; ditto Silver and Brazilian of 1885, ½ each; Costa Rica "B," Ecuador, Santa Fé of 1883, and Uruguay Five per Cts., 1 each; ditto Six per Cts., 1½; Cordova, 1919, 1, to 92, 94; San Domingo, 1, to 15, 17; Tucuman, 1, to 92, 94; Russian of 1862 and Venezuelan, ½ each; Buenos Ayres Cedulas "I" and "J," French Three and Four and a Half per Ct. Rentes, Peruvian Five and Six per Cts., and Greek of 1881 and 1884, and ditto Monopoly, ¼ each; ditto of 1882, 1; Mexican of 1888, ½; ditto Converted, 1-16; Turkish of 1871, ditto Defence, and ditto Group One, ⅛ each; ditto Group Two, ⅛; ditto Groups Three and Four, 1-16 each; Egyptian Unified and Daira, Hungarian Four per Cts. of 1881, and Portuguese, ⅛ each; and Spanish Four per Cts., 1-16; but United States Four and Four and a Half per Cts. *rose* ⅛ each. In the following table will be found a comparison between yesterday's and to-day's closing prices; where no price is inserted yesterday's quotations remain unchanged:

STOCKS.	Closing Prices. Yesterday.	Closing Prices. To-day.	Business Done.
Argentine 6 p.c. 1863	102 104	...	...
6 p.c. 1871	100 102	...	100⅞ 1 100½ 1¼
6 p.c. 1881	103 105	102 104	
5 p.c. 1884	93 95	91 93	92 3 2½ ¼
5 p.c. 1886	94 96	92 94	94½ 3 2¾
5 p.c. N.C. Rail. Ex.	93 95	...	93½ 3 4
5 p.c. Treas. Conv.	92 94	90 92	92½ 2
6 p.c. (Hard Dol.)	63⅞ 63¾	63½ 62¾	62⅞ ½ ⅝ ¾
7 p.c. Cedulas "A"	59 59½	58½ 59	...
Austrian Silver 5 p.c.	68 70	66 69	68⅛ ½
Paper 5 p.c.	66 68	...	...
Gold 4 p.c.	90 92	89 91	...
Brazilian 5 p.c. 1885	100 102	...	101 100⅞
4½ p.c. 1883	97 99	...	98
5 p.c. 1886	102 104	...	102½ ⅝ ⅜
4½ p.c. 1879	98 100	...	99⅝ ¼
4½ p.c. 1888 all pd.	95 96	94 96	95¼
Buenos Ayres 6 p.c. 1882—1886	97 99	...	98⅛ 7⅞ 9 7⅞
6 p.c. 1883	97 99	...	98
Cedulas 5 p.c. "I"	60½ 61	60¼ 60¾	...
Ditto "J"	59¾ 60½	59½ 60	...
Chilian 4½ p.c. 1886	101 103	...	103 2 ⅞
4½ p.c. 1887	101 103	...	...
Chinese 7 p.c. "A"	106 108	...	108
7 p.c. "B"	109 111	...	...
6 p.c. March, 1885	105 108	...	...
6 p.c. June, 1885	106 109	...	107½ 8½
Colombian 4¾ p.c.	32 34	...	31½
Costa Rica 5 p.c. "A"	91 92	...	90½ 1¼ 90⅝
Ditto 5 p.c. "B"	91 92	90 91	91 ½
Ecuador 1 p.c.	24½ 25½	23½ 24½	25½ ¼ 4½ ⅞ 5
Egyptian 5 p.c. Pref.	100 100½	...	100⅞ 100 ⅝ ⅞ ⅞
4 p.c. Unified	80⅞ 80⅞	80½ 80⅞	80⅞ ⅝
4 p.c. Daira Sanieh	76⅝ 76⅞	76½ 76¾	76⅞ ½
5 p.c. State Dom.	102½ 103	...	102½ ⅞
Entre Rios 6 p.c. 1886	99 101	...	...
6 p.c. C. Ry. Mort.	102 104	...	102
6 p.c. Exten. Mort.	98 100	...	98½
French 3 p.c. Rentes	82 82½	81⅞ 82¼	...
4½ p.c. Rentes	103 103½	102⅞ 103¼	103⅛
Greek 5 p.c. 1881	82 83	82 82	82 ½ ⅞ 2 1⅞
5 p.c. 1884	82 83	82 82	82½ 1½ 2
4 p.c. Monopoly	71½ 71⅞	71¼ 71⅝	71⅞
6 p.c. '83 Scrip, all pd	92 94	91 93	92
Guatemala 4 p.c.	58 60	...	57½
Honduras 1867, 1870	11 12	...	11½ ⅞ ⅞
Hungarian 5 p.c. 1871	99 101	...	...
5 p.c. 1873	100 102	...	101
4 p.c. 1881	83⅝ 84	83½ 83⅞	83½ 4¼
Italian 5 p.c. 1861	96¼ 96½	...	96⅜ ½ ⅜
Japanese 7 p.c.	110 113	...	110½ 11
Mexican 3 p.c. Conv.	39½ 39¾	39 39½	39½ ⅝
6 p.c. 1888, all paid	89½ 89¾	89 89	90 89½ ⅝
Paraguay 1886	39 41	...	...
Peruvian 6 p.c. 1870	17⅛ 17⅜	17⅛ 17⅜	17⅝ ½ ⅛
5 p.c. 1872	15⅜ 15⅝	15⅛ 15⅜	15 ⅝
Portuguese 3 p.c.	64⅝ 64⅞	64⅝ 64⅞	64⅞ ⅝ 4 ½ ⅝
Prussian 4 p.c.	106 108	...	...
Russian 5 p.c. 1822	98 99	...	...
5 p.c. 1862	98 100	98 99	99½ ⅞
5 p.c. 1864	98 100	...	...
4 p.c. Nicolai Rail.	86 88	...	...
5 p.c. 1870 (Railway Loans)	99 101	...	...
5 p.c. 1871 (Railway Loans)	96 98	...	96½ ⅞ 7½
5 p.c. 1872 (Railway Loans)	96 98	...	...
5 p.c. 1873 (Railway Loans)	100½ 1½	...	101 ½ 1
4½ p.c. 1875 (Railway Loans)	92 94	...	...
Santa Fé 6 p.c. 1883	95 97	94 96	96 4½
5 p.c. N.C. Ry. Mort	101 102	...	...
5 p.c. Ex. Mort.	97 99	...	98
5 p.c. W.C. Ry. Mrt.	95 97	...	95
Spanish 2 p.c.	48½ 49½	...	48½
4 p.c.	72⅝ 72⅞	72 9-16 72 13-16	72¾ ⅝
Quicksilver 5 p.c.	103 105	...	...
Turkish 5 p.c. 1854	99 101	...	99⅞
5 p.c. Priority	81 83	...	...
6 p.c. 1858, 6 p.c. 1862 Group 1	26⅞ 27½	26¾ 27	...
5 p.c. Treas. Group 2	15⅝ 15⅞	15½ 15¾	...
6 p.c. 1865, 6 p.c. 1869, 6 p.c. 1873 Group 3	15 5-16 15 9-16	15 15¼	...
5 p.c. 1865, Group 4	15 5-16 15 9-16	15¼ 15½	...
5 p.c. (Defence)	93 93½	92⅞ 93¼	...
4½ p.c. 1871	81½ 81⅞	81 81½	81¼ ⅝
U.S. Funded 4½ p.c.	109½ 109⅞	109⅝ 110	...
4 p.c.	130½ 130⅞	130⅝ 131	...
Virginia Funded	38 40	...	39½
Uruguay Unif. 5 p.c.	73½ 74½	72⅞ 73½	73¾ 4 2¾ 3¼
6 p.c. 1888, all paid	87½ 87⅞	85 86½	87 ⅞ 6 7½
Venezuela 3 p.c.	55 56	54½ 55½	55

English Railway Original and "A" Stocks.—North-Eastern *fell* 1; Great Northern "A," North-Western, Midland, and Great Western, ½ each; Hull and Barnsley, Caledonian, South-Eastern "A," and Brighton "A," ⅜ each; East London, ¼; Great Eastern, Sheffield "A," and Metropolitan District, ⅛ each; Chatham Ordinary and Preference and Metropolitan Consolidated, ⅛ each, and North British Preferred, ⅛; but Taff Vale *rose* 1. Annexed are the latest prices: Caledonian, 110½, ⅞; East London, 10½, 11½; Glasgow and South-Western, 102, 104; Great Eastern, 67⅛, ⅜; Great Northern, 115½, 116½; ditto "A," 100, ½; Great Western, 146⅝, ⅞; Hull and Barnsley, 25⅜, ⅞; Lancashire and Yorkshire, 116¾, 117¼; London and Brighton, 142, 144; ditto "A," 128⅝, ⅞; London, Chatham, and Dover, 22⅞, 23; ditto Preference, 101½, ⅞; London and North-Western, 167⅛, ⅝; London and South-Western, 132¾, 133¼; London, Tilbury, and Southend, 128, 130; Manchester and Sheffield, 67⅝, 68⅛; ditto "A," 34⅛, ⅝; Metropolitan Consolidated, 75½, 76; ditto Surplus Lands, 69½, 70½; ditto District, 33, ¼; Midland, 132⅜, ⅝; North London, 195, 200; North-Eastern, 156⅛, ⅝; North British Three per Ct. Preference, 74, ½; ditto Deferred, 51, ½; North Staffordshire, 110, 112; South-Eastern, 132, 134; ditto "A," 107¼, ¾; and Taff Vale, 234, 239.

Home Railway Debenture Stocks.—Cambrian "B" *rose* 1, to 110, 112; but East London "B" *fall* 1½, to 56, 59.

Foreign and Colonial Railways.—Mexican Ordinary *fell* 2, to 45½, ½; ditto First Preference, ½, to 115⅛, ⅝; ditto Second, ½, to 73⅛, ⅝; Mexican National "A," ½, to 66½, 67; ditto "B," ½, to 20½, 21½; Nitrate, ½, to 20⅝, ⅞; Canadian Pacific, 1¼, to 54, ½; Argentine Great Western Debentures, 1, to 93, 95; Buenos Ayres Great Southern Ordinary, 1, to 190, 202; ditto Extension, 1892, ½, to 16½, 17½; ditto (£3 paid), ½, to 9½, 10½; Buenos Ayres and Rosario (£8 paid), ½, to 11, ½; Central Argentine, 1½, to 206, 209; ditto (£15 paid), ½, to 35½, 36½; Central Uruguay, ½, to 14½, ¾; Cordoba Central Preference, ½, to 24, 25; ditto Debentures, ½, to 104, 106; Dunaburg and Witepsk (Registered), ½, to 17½, 18½; Midland Uruguay, ½, to 3, ½; and East Argentine Debentures, 2, to 113, 116; but ditto Guaranteed *rose* 2, to 99, 102; Brazilian Imperial Central Bahia Six per Cts., ½, to 113, 115; Grand Trunk First Preference, ½, to 65⅝, ⅞; and Manitoba and North-Western First Mortgage, 2, to 101, 103.

Foreign Railway Obligations.—Brazil Great Southern Six per Cts. *fell* 1, to 103, 105; Ottoman Debentures, 1886, 1, to 94, 96; and Macahé and Campos (£70 paid), ½, to 70½, 71½.

American Railroads.—Denver *fell* ½, to 16⅝, 17⅛; ditto Preference, ½, to 45½, ¾; Erie, ½, to 27⅝, ⅞; Louisville, ½, to 57⅛, ⅜; Norfolk and Western Preferred, ⅝, to 50⅛, ⅜; Northern Pacific Preferred, ⅛, to 61⅛, ⅜; Ontario, ⅛, to 15⅛, ⅜; Wabash Ordinary, ⅛, to 13⅞, ⅛; ditto Preferred, ½, to 26, ½; ditto General Mortgage, ½, to 40⅛, ⅞; and Milwaukee Preferred, 2, to 107, 109; but Erie Second Mortgage *rose* ½, to 99⅛, ⅞; Missouri and Kansas, ⅛, to 13⅛, 14; New York Central, ⅛, to 110⅞, ⅛; Reading, ⅛, to 24⅞, ⅛; Union Pacific, ⅛, to 65⅛, ⅜; Central Pacific Land Grant Bonds, 1, to 103, 106; and Northern Pacific General Mortgage, 1, to 112, 114.

Telegraphs.—Anglo-American Ordinary *fell* ½, to 46½, 47; ditto Preferred, 1, to 77½, ⅞; ditto Deferred, ½, to 15½, ⅞; and Direct United States, ½, to 9⅛, ⅜.

Banks.—Victoria *rose* 1, to 45, 47; but London and Brazilian *fell* ½, to 18, 19. Imperial Ottoman closed at 10 15-16, 11 1-16.

Commercial, Industrial, &c.—Guinness Ordinary *fell* 1, to 310, 313; New York Brewery Ordinary, ½, to 16½, 17; ditto Preference, ½, to 12½, ⅞; Stroud Brewery Debentures, 2, to 102, 104; Primitiva Nitrate, ½, to 3⅛, ⅜; Salt Union Ordinary, ½, to 4⅛, ⅛ prem.; Colorado Nitrate, ½, to 10, 11; San Pablo Nitrate, ½, to 13, 14; Hop Bitters, ½, to 1-16, 3-16; Maxim-Nordenfelt Gun, ½, to 5⅛, ⅜; New Explosives, ½, to 6, ½; and Rio Improvements, ½, to 30, 32; but Hodgson's Brewery Debentures *rose* 1, to 108, 111; Barnagore Jute, ½, to 8, 9; and Bell's Asbestos, ½, to 15, ½.

Financial, Land, and Investment.—Trust and Agency of Australasia *rose* ½, to 3½, 4½; ditto (£10 paid), ½, to 14, 15; Bankers' Investment Trust Debentures, 1, to 105, 107; and Foreign and Colonial Government Trust Deferred, 1½, to 134, 138; but Buenos Ayres Harbour Works Trust *fell* 1, to 102, 104; Canada North-West Land, ½, to 2⅞, 3⅛; Foreign and American Investment Trust Debentures, 1, to 103, 105; Railway Share Trust "B," ½, to 23, 24; and River Plate Trust, ½, to 3⅝, 4⅛.

Water Works.—Tarapaca *fell* ½, to 13, 14.

Insurance.—Royal *fell* ½, to 42, 43.

Shipping.—Peninsular and Oriental (£20 paid) *fell* ½, to 24½, 25½.

Docks and Canals.—Millwall *rose* 1, to 74, 77, and London and St. Katharine Preference, 1878, 1, to 105, 107; but ditto Ordinary *fell* 1, to 39, 41, and Suez, ½, to 87½, ⅞.

Coal, Iron, and Steel.—Ebbw Vale *fell* ½, to 4⅛, 5⅛; Bolckow, Vaughan, and Co., ½, to 14½, 15½; and Marbella, ½, to 3⅛, ⅞.

Tramways.—Belfast *rose* ½, to 13½, 14½.

Mines.—Rio Tinto *fell* ½, to 25 9-16, 11-16; Mason and Barry, 3-16, to 11⅛, ⅜; Copiapo, ½, to 4⅛, ⅝; Namaqua, ½, to 4, ½; Tharsis, ½, to 6⅛, ⅜; New Consolidated, 1s, to 25s, 26s; New Jagersfontein, ½, to 14, ½; Gold Fields of South Africa, 1-16, to 2, ⅛; Don Pedro, 1-16, to 1 5-16, 7-16; Ferreiras, ½, to 8⅛, ⅜; Geldenhuys, 1-16, to 1½, 2; De Beers, ½, to 15⅞, 16 1-16; Griqualand West, ½, to 6, ½; Ooregum, 1s, to 1 7-16, 9-16; and Pontgibaud, 2, to 9, 11; but El Callao *rose* ½, to 2⅛, 3; Anglo-African, 1-16, to 3 11-16, 13-16; Moodies, 1-16, to 1 5-16, 7-16; Mysore Gold, 1-16, to 3⅛, ⅜; Nine Reefs, 6d, to 12s, 13s; Bantjes, 1-16, to 3, ⅛; De Villiers, 4½, to 38, 32; Jubilee, ½, to 6⅛, ⅝; and Langlaagtes, 1-16, to 3⅛, ⅜.

Annexed are quotations from the Continent, received through Reuter's Telegraph Company:

PARIS, Nov. 21.—Three per Ct. Perpetual Rentes, money, 82f 15c; Four and a Half per Ct. Rentes, ditto, 104f 25c; Three per Ct. Perpetual Rentes, account, 82f 20c; Four and a Half per Ct. Rentes, ditto, 104f 40c; Five per Ct. Italian, ditto, 96f 55c; Crédit Foncier Shares, ditto, 1,366f 25c; Ottoman Bank Shares, ditto, 508f 75c; Suez Canal Shares, ditto, 2,227f 50c; Panama Canal Shares, ditto, 263f 75c; Rio Tinto Shares, ditto, 458f; Lombard Railway Shares, ditto, 221f 25c; Egyptian Unified, ditto, 408f 47c; Turkish Group IV., ditto, 15f 40c; Four per Ct. Spanish, ditto, 71⅞; Five per Ct. Russians, 1877, ditto, 101; Four per Ct. Hungarian Gold Rente, money, 85 9-16; Three per Ct. Portuguese, 64⅞; Five per Ct. Greek, 1884, 420; De Beers, 405. Cheque on London, 25f 31c. Private discount, 3⅛.

BERLIN, Nov. 21.—Four per Ct. Prussian Consols, 107 70; Three and a Half per Ct. ditto ditto, 104; Four per Ct. Egyptian Unified, 82; Five per Ct. Russian, 1871-1873, 95; Four per Ct. Spanish, 72 10; Five per Ct. Italian Rente, 96 40; Four per Ct. Hungarian Gold Rente, 84 15; Four and a Half per Ct. Argentine Internal Gold Loan, 86 50; Five per Ct. Greek Loan, 86 50; Six per Ct. Mexican, 1888, 93 50; Austrian Credit Shares, 166 25; Deutsche Bank Shares, 168 50; Lombardo-Venetian Railway Shares, 42 25. Private discount, 3½. Exchange on London, eight days' sight, 20 34; ditto ditto, three months, 20 21; ditto Paris, eight days' sight, 80 60; ditto Belgium, two months, 79 85; ditto Amsterdam, two months, 167 60; ditto ditto, eight days' sight, 168 40; ditto Vienna, two months, 166 70; ditto St. Petersburg, three months, 205 25; Russian Paper Roubles, money, 209 10; ditto November account, 208 50.

SPECIAL MARKET REPORTS—WEDNESDAY

LONDON CORN EXCHANGE.—Business at Mark-lane was quiet and featureless. The import of wheat into the United Kingdom in the first twelve weeks of the season was 16,468,000cwt, against 11,940,667cwt last season, and of flour 4,361,567cwt, against 4,021,654cwt. The American visible supply of wheat has increased 670,000 bushels on the week, and is now 36,511,730 bushels, against 36,871,880 bushels last year. English wheat changed hands quietly at late rates for fine samples. Inferior sorts weak. Foreign wheat was about the same in value, the demand being quiet. Flour sold slowly at previous currencies. In barley business was quiet, but both malting and grinding samples were steady in value. Oats were in quiet request, on former terms. Maize was steady, but quiet. The American visible supply has diminished 1,080,000 bushels on the week, and is now 8,193,120 bushels, against 8,373,598 bushels last year. Beans and peas were quiet, but firm. Arrivals:

	Wheat	Barley	Malt.	Oats.	Maize	Beans	Peas.	Flour.
English & Scotch	180	250	1850	—	—	—	—	—
Irish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign	29610	28030	—	20370	2180	180	640	16130 sks 100 brls

SEEDS.—Messrs. John Shaw and Sons report to-day's market without any striking feature. Cloverseeds generally are quiet but firm. The present lull coming after so much excitement and activity is regarded as quite healthy. Some small orders still come to hand for winter vetches. Blue peas are in good demand at full prices; choice samples are inquired for. In haricot beans the tendency continues upwards. There is no change in either mustard or rapeseed. Birdseeds are steady. Feeding linseed hardens in value.

STRATFORD ROOT AND VEGETABLE.—There has been a good supply of all kinds of produce during the past week, and, with a good attendance of buyers, a brisk trade was done at the undermentioned quotations: Cabbages 2s to 4s per tally; savoys, 3s to 6s per tally; greens, 1s 6d to 2s per dozen; potatoes, Scotch Regents, 90s to 100s per ton; ditto, Scotch Magnums, 80s to 100s per ton; ditto, English Magnums, 60s to 80s per ton; ditto, White Elephants, 80s to 100s per ton; ditto, German Magnums, 80s to 100s; turnips, 30s to 40s per ton; carrots, household, 35s to 45s per ton; ditto, cattle feeding, 20s to 25s per ton; mangolds, 15s to 18s per ton; swedes, 17s to 20s per ton; hay, 60s to 95s per load; straw, 40s to 45s per load; clover, 110s to 120s per load; trefoil, 95s to 110s per ton; horse mixture, 110s to 120s per ton; onions, Dutch, 3s 6d to 4s 9d per bag; apples, English, 3s to 6s per bushel; watercress, 6d per doz.; celery, 1s per roll; pears, 3s to 6s 6d per bushel; walnuts, 4s to 5s per bag; oranges, 6s to 7s per box, and 15s per case; grapes, 7s to 15s per barrel.

SHADWELL FISH.—Supply small, demand good. Prices: Mixed soles, 2s to 3s; turbot, 6s; soles, 10s; haddocks, 7s to 11s; plaice, 15s to 21s; cod, 6s to 11s; skate, 6s to 10s; roker, 7s to 9s; oysters, 2s 6d to 4s per trunk; ditto 6s to 8s per bag.

METALS.—Messrs. Morrison Kekewich and Co. report: "Copper—Firm, £78 2s 6d to £78 12s 6d for spot G.O.B.'s, £78 15s to £79 in three months; G.M.B.'s, £78 to £78 10s cash, £78 12s 6d to £79 2s 6d three months; Wallaroo, £86 10s; Burra, £86; tough, £84 10s; best, £85; sheets, £88. Yellow Metal—7¼d to 7½d. Tin—Steady, £101 to £101 10s Straits, £101 2s 6d to £101 12s 6d Australian, £103 10s to £104 English. Lead—£13 12s 6d English, £13 2s 6d Spanish. Spelter—£16 2s 6d to £16 5s 6d. Quicksilver—£9 15s first hands, £9 7s 6d second hands. Antimony—£36 to £40. Iron—Scotch pigs, 40s 11d to 41s 1d, closing, buyers, 40s 11½d. (Official Report of the London Metal Exchange).—Closing prices: Copper—Chili bars, G.O.B.'s, cash, £78 2s 6d to £78 10s 6d; ditto, three months, £78 15s to £79 1s; G.M.B.'s, cash, £78 to £78 10s; ditto, three months, £78 12s 6d to £79 2s 6d. Tin—Fine foreign, cash, Straits, £101 to £101 10s; Australian, £101 2s 6d to £101 12s 6d; three months' Straits, £101 17s 6d to £102 7s 6d.

COAL EXCHANGE.—Prices: Wallsend, Hetton, 17s 6d; ditto, Lambton, 17s; ditto, Hetton Lyons, 16s; ditto, Wear, 16s. Ships at market, 17; sold 8, contracts, gas, &c., 9—17; 5 ships at sea.

GLASGOW PIG IRON.—Market steady. Fair business at 41s 1d, 40s 11½d, 41s cash; 41s 2½d, 41s 3d, 41s 2d one month; buyers 40s 11½d cash, 41s 2d month; sellers near. Middlesbrough, 33s 4½d cash; 33s 9d fourteen days; buyers, 33s 3½d cash; sellers 33s 4½d. Hematite, buyers, 43s 9d, and 43s 11d cash, sellers 1d more.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—Sales of the day, 12,000 bales; on speculation and for export, 1,000. Quotations of American 1-16d lower. East Indian firm. Egyptian, quiet, unchanged. Middling upland, 5⅝d; ditto Orleans, 5⅝d; fair brown Egyptian, 6 15-16d; fair Dhollerah, 4 5-16d; good ditto, 4⅝d; fair Oomra, 4⅝d; good ditto, 4 15-16d. Futures flat.

CORK CORN.—12 cwt white wheat, 7s 10d; 5 cwt red wheat, 7s 10d; 720 cwt black oats, 4s 9d to 5s; 320 cwt white oats, 5s 6d to 6s.

EDINBURGH CORN.—Wheat—A slow sale, prices in favour of buyers. Barley, in good demand at fully last week's prices. Oats—A fair sale, prices unaltered. Beans unchanged.

GLASGOW CATTLE.—Home cattle is cheaper, owing to heavy offerings of foreign bullocks. As three weeks hence will see Canadian supplies stopped by ice, values will recover. Top Scotch, 65s to 66s; top Irish, 63s; Canadian, unchanged; States, 1s dearer. Home sheep, shorter supply, last week's prices readily obtained. Best, 9d. Pigs 2s down. Dead meat steady. Dealers incline to higher values.

CHESTER CHEESE.—The pitch of cheese at the market to-day was the heaviest ever known in November. Quite 100 tons were on offer, the entire market space being covered with cheese. The supply being greater than the demand, trade was dull for everything except fine Cheshire, which realised from 68s to 69s per cwt. There were principally coloured cheese. Fine white dairies fetched from 65s to 68s; good Cheshire, 55s to 60s; medium qualities, 45s to 55s; and common cheese, 35s to 40s per cwt.

CORK BUTTER.—Ordinary—Firsts, 99s; seconds, 88s; thirds, 80s; fourths, 75s. Kegs—Seconds, 85s; thirds, 78s. Mild cured firsts—Superfine, 110s; fine, 98s; mild, 95s; ditto, kegs—superfine, 105s. In market—708 firkins, 5 kegs (113 mild).

PRODUCE MARKETS—WEDNESDAY.

SUGAR.—There were no auctions held to-day, and in the private market but little business was done in cane kinds, owing to the small quantities offering and high prices asked; while beetroot opened quietly at barely yesterday's closing rates, German 88 per cent. Jan.-March selling at 13s 9d, while since then there has been but little change, and at the close there were buyers of November, at 13s 6¾d, f. o. b. A cargo of 1,000 tons Java, August sailing, has been sold at 17s for a port in the United Kingdom. In the refined market the tone was quiet, but the small quantities offering of pieces and crushed went off steadily, while stoved goods were also quiet at late rates.

COFFEE.—The market was quiet, without change excepting for Jamaica, which went off well at 1s to 2s advance. 110 packages plantation Ceylon sold at 94s to 95s for small to good middling colory, and 93s to 123s for peaberry. 520 bags East India sold at 85s to 90s 6d for low middling to good Coorg, with peaberry at 103s to 104s 6d. 422 barrels and bags Jamaica sold at 77s 6d to 79s 6d for fine ordinary pale; and 500 bags foreign were nearly all bought in. Futures were quieter, the closing quotations being 68s Nov., 68s 3d Dec., 68s 6d Jan.-Feb., 68s 9d March, 68s 6d April, 68s 9d May, and 68s 6d Jan.-Oct.

RICE.—Quiet, at rather easier rates.

COTTON.—Quiet market, with moderate sales of East India.

JUTE.—Good demand during the last day or two, and sales to a large extent made at full to stiffer prices, the tone to-day being steady.

SPICES, &c.—At auction pepper was dull, and 620 bags offered were nearly all bought in, while 100 bags white Siam were also bought in. Chillies were steady, and 152 bales Zanzibar sold at 31s 6d to 35s for fair to good with dark at 28s. Pimento was quiet, but 833 bags partly sold steadily at 3d to 3¼d for fair. Ginger went off irregularly, and prices were in some cases easier, only part of 323 cases 700 bags Cochin selling, at 23s to 31s for medium rough washed. Cloves were quiet, and about half of 156 bales Zanzibar sold at 6¼d for fair, with one lot at 6⅝d. Nutmegs and mace were quiet, and the former rather lower for Penang. Cassia Lignea was quiet, 400 bales broken being nearly all bought in. Sago was without change, and at auction 60 bags old medium and 450 bags good flour were bought in, the latter at 12s. Tapioca was quiet, and only a small part of 2,500 bags flake sold, at 2 9-16d to 2⅝d for fair Singapore, with good small at 2⅝d to 2¾d, and a small part of 960 bags pearl at 22s to 22s 6d. Arrowroot went off flatly, only a small part of 190 cases Natal selling at 3½d.

OILS.—Linseed—Weaker, at £19 for pipes landed. Rape—Rather stiffer, at £29 15s for brown on spot, and £31 for refined. Cotton—Unchanged, at £21 10s for crude on spot, £23 10s for refined in ordinary casks, and £21 10s Hull. Turpentine—Easier, at 36s for American spirits on spot, 36s 3d Dec., and 36s 6d Jan.-April. Petroleum—Better, at 6 7-16d to 6½d for American on spot, 6⅝d to 6¾d Dec., 6⅝d Jan.-April, and 6⅝d for Russian on spot.

TEA.—Messrs. Layton and Co. report, under date Nov. 21, as follows: "4,137 packages offered at public auction on day of sale sold without reserve. The market for China Congou for private contract continues very strong, and several sales of secondhand parcels have again been reported at even larger profits than previously. Nevertheless, quotations at our unprotected auction to-day are disappointing, some lines of new Pakling in boxes only bringing 5¾d to 6½d, the price of old tea privately. Black leaf was also very cheap, one break only bringing 5d, although far above summer Shuntams in quality. Green tea sold irregularly, and in many cases at a considerable decline."

AUCTION SUMMARY—THIS DAY.

C. C. and T. MOORE, at two, at the Mart, freehold and leasehold properties, Mile-end, Limehouse, Silvertown, St. George's East.—NEWBON and HARDING, at two, at the Mart, leasehold properties, Caledonian-road, Stoke Newington, Hackney, Canonbury, Hoxton, Bermondsey, Highbury, Holloway, Highgate.—H. J. BROMLEY, at one, at the Mart, freehold and leasehold properties, Norwood, Penge, Forest-hill.—PROTHEROE and FRASER, at two, at the Mart, freehold properties, Upton Park, Old Ford.—HOWELL, SON, and BRODIE, at two, at the Mart, leasehold property, South Kensington.—GORHAM and DOVE, at two, at the Mart, freehold properties, Highgate, New Southgate.—PROTHEROE and MORRIS, at two, at Waverley Nursery, Finchley-road, N.W., lease, stock, &c.; at twelve, at Burnt Ash-lane Nurseries, Lee, stock; and at 11.30, at 67, Cheapside, bulbs.—FURBER and ALDERSON, at seven, at Greyhound, Croydon, freehold and leasehold properties.—W. SIMMONDS, at twelve, at 12, The Terrace, Kensington Park, furniture.—W. and F. C. BONHAM, at eleven, at 69, Oxford-street, furniture and marble group.—DEBENHAM, STORR, and SONS, at twelve, at King-street, W.C., jewellery, furniture, &c.—W. B. HALLETT, at twelve, at 270, Holloway-road, furniture.—W. WHITELEY, at one, at Westbourne Hall, W., furniture, toys, &c.—AUCTION COMPANY, at twelve, at Curtain-road, furniture.—W. H. HILTON, at 5.30, at Drayton House Rooms, Lower Clapton, furniture.—L. A. JONES, at seven, at Auction Rooms, Finsbury Park Station, furniture.—R. TOMLINSON and Co., at seven, at Bedford Hotel, Balham, freehold property.—H. PAYNE, at one, at 13, High Holborn, furniture.—F. FRANCE and SONS, at twelve, at 38, St. John's Park, Upper Holloway, furniture.—W. S. LEE, at one, at 25, Lillyville-road, S.W., furniture.—DEBCE and EVANS, at twelve, at 147, Kingsland-road, furniture.—F. FRANCE and SONS, at five, at Elephant and Castle Rooms, Walworth-road, furniture.—E. A. YOUNG, at one, at 10, Mare-street, E., building materials.—TATTERSALLS, at Albert-gate, horses.—STAPLETON'S, at twelve, at Bishopsgate-street Without, horses.—ELEPHANT and CASTLE HORSE REPOSITORY, at twelve, at New Kent-road, horses.—L. DAVIS and SON, at twelve, at 13, Greek-street, Soho, apparel.—J. C. STEVENS, at 12.30, at 38, King-street, W.C., poultry and pigeons.—Messrs. FOSTER, at one, at 54, Pall-mall, drawings.—IZARD, DAWE, and Co., at twelve, at 103, St. Martin's-lane, groceries.—HORNE, SON, and EVERSFIELD, at eleven, at Woolwich Arsenal, unserviceable stores.—TOOTH and TOOTH, at eleven, at King's-cross Station, unclaimed property.—L. E. BLACKWELL and Co., at one, at 21, Sloane-street, antiquities.—MOSS and JAMESON, at one, at 77, Chancery-lane, furs.—COOK and SMITH, at one, at 1, The Parade, Tooting, stock, &c., of grocer.—ROBINSON and FISHER, at one, at 21, Old Bond-street, pictures.—C. R. BURTON, at eleven, at 1, Broadway, E.C., drapery.—SMITH, BOBBS, and Co., at seven, at South London Auction Mart, Boyson-road, Camberwell-gate, S.E., unredeemed pledges, &c.—FURBER and WATT, at two, at 153, Oxford-street, W., carpets.—Mr. CAREY, at six, at 61, New Kent-road, tricycles, &c.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC RETURNS.

	Miles open. 1888.	Miles open. 1887.	Receipts. 1888.	Receipts. 1887.
Brecon and Merthyr, Nov. 18	61	61	£1556	£1449
Buenos Ayres and Rosario, Nov. 17	341	341	11896	10015
Cambrian, Nov. 18	250	250	3411	3298
Central Argentine, Nov. 18	246½	246½	13768	11790
Eastern and Midlands, Nov. 18	114	114	1542	1409
Hull, Barnsley, & W. Riding Junction, Nov. 18	66¾	66¾	4095	4071
London, Chatham, & Dover, Nov. 18	180¼	180	20915	17662
London, Tilbury, & Southend, Nov. 18	68	61	2719	2507
Oude and Rohilkund, Sept. 15	692	686	11057	8392
Lucknow-Sitapur and Seramow, Sept. 15	109	85	437	381
South Indian, Oct. 6	664	664	10077	10018
West Flanders, Nov. 16	102	102	1946	1830

NAVY.—The Admiralty have decided to commission the Champion, 12 guns, at the beginning of next month, and have selected Captain Adolphus Frederick St. Clair for the command. The Archer, 6 guns, will be commissioned at Devonport on Dec. 4, by Commander Ferris, and not on 27th inst., as originally intended. At the Admiralty, yesterday, the following appointments were announced: Lieutenant—Francis Charles M. Noel, of her Majesty's ship Assistance, to the Partridge, in command (to date Dec. 12). Boatswains—Thomas Hills, to the Asia (to date 21st inst.); Richard Carr, to the Camperdown; Frederick Henry Davis, to the Victory (both to date 28th inst.). Gunner—Thomas Christopher Jones, to the Indus, additional (to date 21st inst.)

THE UNEMPLOYED IN EAST LONDON.—At a time when much thought is being given to this matter, a practical suggestion may be of service. Last year more than £300,000 worth of foreign matches were purchased by inconsiderate consumers in this country, so true is it that "evil is wrought by want of thought, as well as want of heart." If all consumers would purchase Bryant and May's matches, that firm would be enabled to pay £1,000 a week more in wages, and large numbers of the unemployed in East London would then be provided with work, instead of swelling the ranks of pauperism.—[ADVERTISEMENT.]

MEDICAL TESTIMONY.—"I have much pleasure in certifying that your Lung Tonic is a most valuable remedy. I have given it a place in my surgery, have prescribed it in several cases, and can thoroughly recommend it. You are at liberty to use my name.—JOHN GIBBS, M.R.C.S.L., Kendby, Yorks." Owbridge's Lung Tonic cures colds, coughs, bronchitis, asthma, hoarseness, whooping cough, &c. Sold everywhere, 1s. 1½d. per bottle.—[ADVT.]

THE PARNELL COMMISSION.

The four-and-twenty hours of delay applied for and obtained by Mr. Reid "of counsel" for the editor and proprietor of the *Kerry Sentinel* expired this morning, and the result was anxiously looked for by a full court, that included among the new comers the following members of Parliament: Sir Thomas Esmonde, Mr. Sheil, Mr. Cox, Dr. Commins, Mr. Kenny, Mr. Redmond, Mr. W. J. Corbet, and Mr. T. D. Sullivan, the author of the well-known song, "God Save Ireland." Mr. Gully, Q.C., M.P., also put in an appearance, and sat, unrobed and unwigged, with his learned brethren on the Parnell side of the court. When the Commissioners took their seats Mr. Reid rose to make what all expected would be an explanation or an apology or a defence; however, Mr. Reid had only to say that he advised Mr. Harrington in the matter, and that that gentleman would not adopt his views, consequently he had nothing to say, and betook himself shortly afterwards to the opening of what promises to be an interesting case in another court. Mr. Harrington, sitting at the solicitors' table, was asked if he had anything to say, and replied in perfectly quiet tones that he had not, and that he accepted the responsibility of what was in his paper. Whereupon the judges rose, retired for ten minutes, came back, and the President with not only solemnity but evident feeling as to the "painful duty" cast upon him, delivered the judgment of the three judges. He spoke with gravity and weight, and alluded to the precedent established in the similar case of "Onslow and Whalley." So far as the attack made was personal he would have been glad to pass it over, but inasmuch as he felt that witnesses might be shaken in their belief in the authority of the Court, and that the eyes of the public generally were on the proceedings, and that if such attacks were allowed to go on the authority and sanction of the Court would be invalidated, he did his duty, and adjudged that Mr. Harrington should pay a fine of £500 to the Queen. Mr. Harrington took his sentence with the utmost unconcern, and remained in court for the rest of the day watching the evidence. There was no excitement, no protest, no fight of any sort. The incident passed by as if it had been carefully rehearsed by all concerned in it, and business went on. Miss Lizzie Curtin was recalled and cross-examined by Sir Charles Russell, and by Mr. Davitt, whose questions always go to the point as to whether he had not denounced outrage whenever he got the chance of so doing.

Nothing of special interest woke up the Court, now painfully familiar with the oft-repeated stories of outrage, until Norah Fitzmaurice was called. She is a stout, well-made girl of peasant type, with thick auburn hair, and has certainly the best and clearest voice of any woman witness yet examined. It is a voice rich, healthy, and musical, and the neatly-dressed Norah told in her own beautiful brogue the story of her father's murder near the place where her family had lived, as she put it, "for hundreds of years." There was something startling in the way she gave the words, "One turned and looked, and said, 'He's not dead yet,' and passed on," and again there was sensation when she came to the description of the chapel scenes, and how the people "would not kneel when I was kneeling." She was a remarkably good witness. The cross-examination went to show that her father's murderers were not members of the Land League, and then we had fiery extracts from articles in Irish papers, and counterbalancing condoning resolutions, read by counsel on both sides in a singularly cool and impassive fashion. The fiercest words, the most vigorous expressions, were recited by counsel as if they were so many involved passages in an intricate conveyance or an elaborate bill of sale, and though, of course, this is quite in accordance with the dignified tone of the proceedings, from a literary point of view it sounded odd to hear these inflammatory sentences "intoned" by undoubted masters of oratory. We must wait for passion when the speeches come on some time, as yet quite uncertain, next year. At present it is a matter of laborious building up on one side, with occasional rough knocks-down from the other side, and a spirit of attentive sedateness broods over the daily work. The logical brains of counsel are taxed all day to find fitting formula for putting questions, and the strain is often very tense, and shown in the earnest faces of the questioner and the objector. It is worthy of note that whenever the habitual discussion as to what a witness really did say crops up the judges' notes agree with the record of the official shorthand writer who sits close under the box, and with the memory of those in Court having practised ears for the understanding of Irish dialects. After lunch-time came Mr. Leonard, Lord Kenmare's agent. He was loud-voiced, and evidently had his heart in his work, as he plunged into the mass of letters before him with a preliminary "Oh, yes!" when called on to produce evidence of the tenants having paid rent secretly. All the afternoon he gave evidence to the effect that the people on the property under his charge "paid rent by stealth, and blushed to find it receipted." He will probably be a long time in the box, if one can judge by the constant and copious notes taken of every name and date he mentioned by Sir Charles Russell. Mr. Biggar took part in a legal discussion on the admissibility of certain evidence, and was agreeably smiled on by their lordships. The last additions to the literature of the case are that one gentleman on the Kenmare estate "went to America, but left his farm behind him," and that Jeremiah Leahy's term of endearment for his friend is "old fellow-suspect"—a novel form of political affection. The chief practical point made was the putting in of many letters addressed to the agent by timorous tenants, and there will be much work over these letters before the week is out.

On the Commissioners taking their seats, at half-past ten,

Mr. Reid said: My lords, with reference to the matter which was brought before your lordships yesterday morning, in regard to which I asked for an adjournment till to-day, I have to state to your lordships that I have communicated my views on this subject to Mr. E. Harrington, and that Mr. E. Harrington has not thought fit to adopt my views. Under these circumstances, I am not in a position to say anything to your lordships.

The President: Mr. Harrington.

Mr. E. Harrington: Yes, my lord.

The President: I ask you if you have anything to say.

Mr. E. Harrington: I have nothing to say. I accept the responsibility for what appears in my paper.

The President: We will retire.

After an absence of some ten minutes their lordships returned, when

The President said: It is my painful duty to have to pronounce the conclusion at which we have arrived. As Mr. Harrington's interests were confided to Mr. Reid, whose position at the bar assured us that the best possible advice would be given to his client, I had hoped that I should be spared the duty which now falls upon me. But, inasmuch as Mr. Harrington has not acted upon the advice which he received from his counsel, but simply takes up the position of assuming the responsibility for the article which has been brought under our notice, I must proceed to state the decision to deal with him. It would be wasting words to point out how serious is the contempt of Court which has been committed. It assumes a form which would have induced me, if I could have seen my way to do it consistently with the duty belonging to the office imposed upon me, to pass the matter over, and I should have been glad to do so, because the contempt consists of personal insults addressed to the Court. But it is necessary that the authority of the Court should be maintained, for one cannot but see that, if attacks of this kind were allowed to go on, it would tend to shake the authority of the Court in the eyes of the public generally, and especially in the eyes of those whom we may have to call before us. I must, therefore, mark our sense of the serious character of the contempt which has been committed by imposing punishment upon Mr. Harrington. The subject has been on several occasions before the courts of law. I have before me the case of "Onslow v. Whalley," in which the Court of Queen's Bench had to deal with a matter of this kind. We propose to follow that precedent. We, therefore, pass this sentence, that Mr. Harrington, for the contempt of which he has been guilty, be adjudged to pay a fine of £500 to the Queen.

Miss LIZZIE CURTIN was then recalled, and, cross-examined by Sir C. Russell, she said: My father was a considerable farmer. I think he was greatly respected in the neighbourhood. I do not know that he was a vice-president of the National League. I know he subscribed to it. I recollect the time when it was considered necessary to make a representation to Lord Kenmare with reference to an abatement of rent, and my father acted as spokesman.

Do you know whether because your father had a lease on beneficial terms he was exempted from joining with the rest in applying for the abatement which the others were demanding?—I do not know.

There were two visits paid by the moonlighters to your father's house?—Yes, the first was in 1881. I could not say how many came—whether few or many. On that occasion they asked for arms. My father was inclined to refuse, but my mother intervened, and gave them an old gun.

Did anything take place on that occasion, except that the men asked for arms?—Yes, they asked if they had paid the rent.

It was on the second occasion that the servant told you that there were moonlighters outside?—Yes. That was in 1885. My father fired the first shot, and then there was a volley of shots.

What was Sullivan, who was shot?—He was a young man, the son of a farmer. So were Daly and Casey, who were afterwards sentenced to fourteen years' penal servitude in connection with the outrage.

Up to this, Nov. 13, 1885, had there been any complaints against your father, or any threat conveyed to your house?—Not the least to my knowledge.

So far as you know was there any ground for suggesting that your father was at enmity with the Land League or the National League, or that he had done anything against their wishes?—No, not that I am aware of.

Are the names Sullivan, Daly, and Casey the most common names in that neighbourhood?—Sullivan and Daly are.

Are the persons who bear those names largely connected with one another?—I do not know.

Did the member for the county, Mr. Sheehan, attend the funeral?—Yes, and Mr. John O'Connor, member for an adjoining constituency in Cork.

Did Mr. Webb, treasurer of the National League, come specially from Dublin on a Sunday and address a meeting in the chapel yard?—Yes.

Did he denounce the outrage, and endeavour, as far as he possibly could, to remove the boycotting and annoyance to which your family were subjected?—He meant to do it. This was before the circular was issued.

Do you know that Mr. Davitt also came down for the same purpose?—I heard he was down.

Did not Mr. John O'Connor on the day of the funeral make a strong speech in denunciation of the murder?—No. I never heard that he did.

I am instructed that that is so, Miss Curtin; but perhaps you did not hear of it?—I did not hear it.

Was not Mr. John O'Connor a friend of the family?—Yes. He came down to attend the funeral on the Saturday, and he left on the Monday. The funeral was on the Sunday.

Don't you know that Father O'Connor, the parish priest, denounced the murder, and spoke of your father in the highest terms?—I did not hear of it.

Father Murphy, the curate, I believe also spoke?—Yes; I heard him speak kindly of my father.

It is suggested to me that there are two chapels at which these two clergymen officiated. I am instructed that Father O'Connor did, at the chapel you were not at, denounce the murder?—I heard Father Murphy, but I did not hear of Father O'Connor.

By Mr. Davitt: You have said you heard that I visited the locality, and called upon the Sullivans and Caseys. Did not you hear that it was in order to induce them to stop the boycotting of your father?—No; I only heard that you had called upon them. I have not heard that District-inspector Davis gave evidence before the Cowper Commission stating that you had gone down to Kerry to denounce the outrage on my father.

Re-examined by Sir H. James: Did the boycott change at all in degree after Mr. Davitt had been?—It was worse afterwards. Mr. Davitt did not call upon my mother, nor send any expression of sympathy. Mr. John O'Connor, M.P., was an old friend of the family, and he attended the funeral. My father never joined the Land League, but he was a member of the National League.

When did he join?—I think not more than a fortnight or three weeks before his death.

Can you form any estimate of the number of shots fired?—I saw seven or eight guns pointed at my father as he was on the stairs. This was before my father fired. I cannot form any estimate of the number of guns discharged. My brother Daniel is in Australia, and my sister Norah is now married and unable to attend.

Mr. GEORGE CURTIN, brother of the last witness, was called to give corroborative evidence.

Sir C. Russell: This, I think, is a case in which my friend can give practical effect to what he stated yesterday. Surely we do not want this sad story over again?

Sir H. James: I respectfully submit that I am the best judge of that. The facts are very short.

The President: Other than those already given? Really one would be glad to be spared these details, beyond what is necessary for the explanation of your case.

The witness, examined by Sir Henry James, stated that five of the men who came to the house on the night of the murder were armed with guns. After the outrage they could not keep their servants, and one who remained with them was severely beaten on one occasion.

By Sir C. Russell: We had three servants, named Sullivan, who left us. I was a member of the National League from its commencement. It comprised nearly all the respectable people in the neighbourhood. My father joined it when it was started, and was a vice-president.

Have you any grounds for suggesting that the National League had anything to do with this gross crime committed against your father?—No.

By Mr. Lockwood: Before the murder my father attended a National League meeting, at which Mr. Harrington was present, and afterwards asked Mr. Harrington to accept his hospitality. Resolutions were passed at several of the League branches condemning the outrage on the family.

Sergeant NEEHAN was next examined by Sir H. James: Were you present at the funeral of Mr. Curtin?—I was not exactly present, but I was convenient. (Laughter.) I asked Mr. MacMahon, a prominent Leaguer, why he did not attend the funeral, and he said he was afraid. Those present were chiefly strangers. I have seen Casey at a National League meeting, wearing a green sash. Owing to the conduct of the people towards the Curtin family when at church the police had to interfere, and their numbers had to be increased. In a crowd of perhaps 200 people nobody interfered to protect the Curtins but the police.

By Sir C. Russell: I did not know that MacMahon was a cousin of Sullivan, who was shot. I know a relative of MacMahon's has taken the Curtin farm. I do not know if the Curtins had asked for the police to escort them to church. Father O'Connor said at the church, "We all regret what has occurred. Whatever we may think, we all deeply sympathise with the poor widow."

Do you mean to say that he did not on that occasion denounce the murder?—He did not denounce it beyond that.

By Mr. Davitt: There was a very strong faction among the Caseys and the Sullivans, who had intermarried, but I cannot say that the opposition to the Curtins was confined to them. Thirty-six persons were bound over to keep the peace. They were all respectable people. (Laughter.) When I say the Land League I also mean the National League, because I believe they were both the same thing. I have not read the constitution of either, but they are the same, because those who were members of the one were members also of the other.

By Mr. Biggar: Seeing you were not at Firies at the time the Land League was in existence, how is it that you swear that the same parties were members of the Land League and the National League?—I saw the very same parties taking part in both. The Land League never ceased, but became apathetic.

District-inspector CREAGH proved that after the murder the Curtins asked for a police escort to church.

PETER BREEN deposed: I live at Loughmoore, County Kerry. In July, 1884, a heifer of mine was sold and sent to graze on a farm from which one MacMahon had been evicted. After that some men came to my house at night and shot me in the thigh. After that I had police protection.

By Sir C. Russell: I cannot tell whether I was wounded with shot or with a bullet. I have not had it taken out. I have been able to go about my work since.

Was not the daughter of a tenant who was ill of consumption evicted, and did she not die an hour afterwards?—She did, but I don't know how soon.

You know it caused a great deal of feeling in the country?—There was some talk about it.

NORAH FITZMAURICE, examined by Mr. Atkinson, said: I live at Aghabeg, in the parish of Lixnaw, in the county of Kerry. My father occupied a farm of sixty-four acres jointly with his brother Edmund. A dispute arose in 1886 between my father and his brother as to the payment of the rent. My uncle Edmund would not pay any portion of the rent, though my father was willing to pay his part of it. In consequence of his refusal we were evicted. We were then put back as caretakers. In March, 1887, Mr. Hussey came over the land, and my father accompanied him, and was subsequently made tenant of the whole, while my uncle went to live elsewhere. I knew Thomas Dowling and Michael Quilter. Quilter is now dead; he died the other day in London. Dowling was secretary and Quilter assistant-secretary of the Lixnaw branch of the National League. After Mr. Hussey's visit my father received a letter from Dowling directing him to attend a meeting of the League. He did not, however, go.

Sir Henry James asked for the direction of the court as to the admissibility as evidence of the publication of the proceedings of the League in the *Kerry Weekly Reporter*.

Sir C. Russell asked how newspaper statements in journals which were not in sympathy with the League could be held to be evidence incriminating persons whose conduct was under inquiry.

Mr. Biggar asked their lordships to bear in mind that these local papers were only read by a very small class of the community.

The President: Mr. Biggar, you are weakening Sir Charles's argument. (Laughter.)

Mr. Biggar suggested that this might be a bogus paper.

The President: We are of opinion that the evidence proposed to be given is inadmissible. As it seems to be admitted that the *Kerry Weekly Reporter* is not in any way the representative of the Land League or National League party, it seems to us that, merely because statements appear in that paper, they cannot be given in evidence for the purposes of this inquiry.

Examination continued: After the receipt of the letter I noticed a change in the demeanour of the people. They would not work for us, but we were able to buy food. Neighbours we had formerly been on speaking terms with passed us without a word. In July, Thomas Dowling, the secretary to the League, came with fourteen or fifteen other persons to my father's place, and went over the land. They came shortly before seven in the evening. Dowling did not say what they came for, and they remained about two hours. My father was put under police protection after the receipt of the letter.

Mr. Atkinson here read an extract from the *Kerry Sentinel* relating to a meeting of the local branch of the National League. It included a resolution recording an indignant protest against the despotic and basely vindictive action of Mr. H. M. Hussey in serving a writ on Mr. Costello for one gale of rent, because he had sheltered Edmund Fitzmaurice and his family; and calling on the public to mark by every constitutional means their disapprobation of the conduct of James Fitzmaurice, who was so base and inhuman as to grab his brother's land.

Witness, further examined by Mr. Atkinson, said: I and my father started to go to Listowel fair on Jan. 21 last. We left in a cart about half-past four in the morning. We were accompanied by two policemen. After we had proceeded some distance on the road, the police escort left us and returned home. After that we met a man upon the road. He passed by us, and subsequently returned with another. Then my father was fired at and murdered. For this two men, named Hayes and Moriarty were subsequently executed. While my father's body was lying on the road four or five carts passed, but the people in them gave no assistance. I heard the remark, "He is not dead yet." On returning from Wicklow Assizes I was still under a police escort. The people continued to treat me as they had done before my father's murder. The second Sunday after the trial I attended our own parish church at Lixnaw. As I went in fifty or sixty persons left. The officiating clergyman endeavoured to induce the people to return. A few of them came back, but the rest went away. Between the murder and the trial I did not go to church at all, because I was afraid to go. I saw Thomas Dowling, secretary of the League, going amongst the people, and going out before them as they left the church. I did not hear what he was saying to them. He seemed to be inducing them to leave. Dowling has since been convicted for intimidating me.

What happened on the next Sunday?—Most of the congregation stayed out when I went to church, and those who came in would not kneel near where I was kneeling. The people afterwards continued to behave in the same way. I am still living in my father's house, with mother and sister. We are still under police protection.

Cross-examined by Sir C. Russell: There were two farm-houses on the farm. In March, 1887, my uncle was turned out of his, and my father agreed with Mr. Hussey to take the whole farm. Our family had lived for hundreds of years there, and I suppose built the houses on the farm. When my uncle Edmund was turned out a man named Costello sheltered him, his wife, and children. Mr. Hussey complained of that, and to punish him served Costello with an ejectment. I heard that it was for a gale or half a year's rent. There was bad feeling between my father and his brother. My uncle complained that my father had taken the farm over his head, and the neighbours took the side of my uncle. Hayes and Moriarty were convicted of the murder of my father. Hayes was a shoemaker at Tralee, and Moriarty came from Glenbeigh. Moriarty had been at Lixnaw about two years. He was a labouring man. I do not know whether or not either was a member of the Land League.

Is it not a fact that, so far from being members of the Land League, Hayes and Moriarty tried to break up the League at Tralee?—I have not heard that. The letter from Dowling was really in the handwriting of Quilter, who was my cousin. He would not speak to my father after he had taken the farm.

Do you know that the National League had been suppressed in Kerry?—Yes; in the autumn before my father was fired at.

Mr. Asquith read an article from the *Kerry Sentinel* and Sir C. Russell an article from *United Ireland*, strongly condemning the murder.

Police-sergeant M. HARRIS gave corroborative evidence, and the Court adjourned for luncheon.

After the adjournment,

Mr. MAURICE LENNARD, a justice of the peace for the county of Kerry, was examined by the Attorney-General. He said: Since Jan. 1, 1886, I have been agent for Lord Kenmare. In March, 1875, I was articled to Mr. Hussey, and in the following year became assistant agent. I live in Killarney. I made it part of my duty to know all about the doings of the Land League and the National League. I never heard of persons being punished for paying rent, or for taking an evicted farm, before the holding of a meeting in the district by The O'Donoghue and Mr. Parnell in 1881. There had been previously no organisation against the payment of rent. Prior to a meeting at Killarney, at which The O'Donoghue spoke, we were able to let evicted farms, and caretakers were able to take charge of them without protection. The expression "landgrabber" came into use in 1885. Before 1881 "landgrabbers" had not been denounced, nor did secret societies commit outrages on people who paid their rent or who took vacant land. There was no development of abnormal crime, or anything to show that the county was in other than a peaceable condition. In the latter part of 1879 and in the earlier part of 1880 there was distress in the county.

Has crime been confined to districts where there has been great distress?—No. In 1881, when the Land League was established, outrages commenced in the Rathmore district; they ceased when the League was suppressed. In September, 1885, Mr. William O'Brien, Mr. Healy, and Mr. E. Harrington visited Killarney and made violent speeches. The country had been peaceable in the interval. I have heard the tenants talk of Land League courts and have read reports of them in the *Kerry Sentinel*.

The Attorney-General proposed to question the witness as to the statements made to him relative to the proceedings before the Land League courts.

Sir C. Russell objected to the admission of the evidence.

The Attorney-General contended that he was justified in pursuing this line of examination, in order to show the general condition of terrorism in the county.

The President ruled that the evidence must be confined to statements having relation to specific acts of the persons who made them.

Examination resumed: You know Michael Cullinan?—There were three brothers Cullinan in possession of holdings on Lord Kenmare's estate. In 1881 it was necessary to bring a writ of ejectment, which was executed. Afterwards an arrangement was made by which Michael, the eldest of the three brothers, took the whole farm, the others remaining in their holdings, and paying the rent to him. Shortly afterwards Michael Cullinan came to my office with his ears slit, and blood dropping from his neck. He alleged that he had been attacked by moonlighters.

Did you know anything against the man except that he was keeping a farm under the circumstances you have mentioned?—Certainly not. Cullinan told me that he had been before the Land League. There was another case, that of John Cuirnane. He was unable to pay his rent, and Mr. Broderick, the League solicitor, defended him. Cuirnane was ultimately evicted. After his eviction threatening notices were posted as to the taking of land.—Witness next gave the case of Murphy, in whose case an ejectment notice was issued in October, 1879, Murphy being reinstated as caretaker. Facts came to his knowledge about Murphy that he was agitating against the payment of rent, and witness called upon him to pay up and redeem his land. He did not do so, and it was relet to another man, who paid £120 fine on it. A caretaker's summons was brought against Murphy, and when the bailiff and assistant bailiff went to execute it they were met with resistance, and hot water was thrown on them.

Had you before 1881 had to carry out evictions?—Yes.

But before 1881 had you met with barricaded houses?—Never. The sheriff used to go with one bailiff and a man.

Had there been prior to the Land League any organised resistance to the sheriff?—Never. After Murphy had been turned out the Land League wanted to put up a hut for him on Lord Kenmare's property. A body of about 500 people went there with Mr. E. Harrington, M.P., with the view of erecting this hut. Each man carried a pole. I went out accompanied by sixty labourers to resist them, and the police came to prevent a breach of the peace. Failing to put up the hut on Lord Kenmare's land they put it up on some land adjoining, in the occupation of a man named Daly. It was pulled down by him the next day, and for this a few nights after the top of his ear was clipped off.

Do you remember anything happening at Rathmore?—I do. Poor old John Keefe paid his rent in October, 1881, and on Nov. 27 he was "raided" and the calves of his legs were blown away. (Sensation.) He had been a tenant for a long while, and had always paid his rent most regularly. Two men, named Cronin, who paid their rent on the same day as John Keefe, were both shot in the legs on the same night as Keefe was shot. Dennis M'Carthy paid his rent on Oct. 7, 1881, and he was fired at on Oct. 16.

The Attorney-General drew attention to the fact that on the preceding day M'Carthy had said he had not paid his rent.

Witness continued: In the case of a man named Callaghan, who had always paid his rent, he sent it by his son, with a note stating that he was afraid to come himself, and begging that the fact that he had paid might be kept secret. Prior to that he had always paid his rent openly. In another case, that of Patrick Lynch, Lord Kenmare himself received a letter, dated Nov. 10, 1881, from the tenant's son at Manchester, enclosing a cheque for half-year's rent, stating that Patrick Lynch, the tenant, was afraid to pay it direct in consequence of the midnight marauders, and requesting that the receipt might be sent to him.

Had there been any secrecy or apparent reluctance to come forward until that time?—No.

You knew the poor man Daniel Leahy?—Yes; he was a bailiff on the estate for years and years. I remember in the year 1881 his taking some grazing land on Lord Kenmare's estate. On Aug. 20 he was shot and stabbed. I also knew Jeremiah Leahy, who was secretary to the Firies branch of the Land League. The letter produced is in the handwriting of Jeremiah Leahy.

The Attorney-General: It is a letter postponed from yesterday for proof of the handwriting, and is addressed to Mr. M'Mahon, who succeeded Jeremiah Leahy as secretary to the Firies branch of the Land League.

The letter was read by the witness. It was dated "Corvally, Jan. 10, 1883," and was as follows: "My dear Jerry—Enclosed is a list of the Firies collection for Parnell. I am sorry to inform you that I will be on my way to America when you receive this. You can inquire of Mr. Harrington if the funds will be turned over to the National League, and, if so, send up whatever balance is in your hands, and I will send you a cheque for the remainder in my hands at the first favourable opportunity; that is, if I am not arrested in Queenstown, which I dread very much. My reason for this step is that it appears an informer has turned up in Dan Leahy's case, and numerous arrests are contemplated, and, it is said, my own among the number. I need scarcely tell you what a wrong that would be; but there is nothing but wrong in the present day. Do not mention a word of this to anybody living, because if it becomes known to the police they might arrest me at once. Good-bye, old fellow suspect; write often and send me papers.—Very faithfully yours, JEREMIAH LEAHY."

Examination continued: Had Dan Leahy done anything to give offence except take the grazing?—No.

In reply to further questions the witness said: We had tenants of the names of Patrick Lyons and Jeremiah O'Sullivan. In October, 1881, a letter was received from Thomas Lyons, a large shopkeeper at Tralee, forwarding the rent due from those tenants. Before that Lyons and O'Sullivan had always paid their rent openly. On Dec. 29 I had a letter from Daniel O'Connor, forwarding the rent of another tenant, and saying, "I am certainly willing to pay my rent, but after so doing I am liable to share the same fate as my neighbour O'Donoghue, who was attacked the second night after leaving your office." There was another letter from Arthur O'Keefe, sending a cheque for the rent due for his farm, and asking my interest in getting him a licence for keeping a revolver, the writer saying he did not know when danger might approach. We found it necessary in 1882 to evict three tenants, who were well able to pay, and were afraid to do so. Miss Reynolds, of the Ladies' Land League, came to the hotel where I was staying, and the day after the evictions she went to Rathmore and stayed there. The following night the evicted houses were fired into, so my bailiff reported to me. The men were in a position to pay. They redeemed shortly after they had been evicted. They made an arrangement with me, paid both rent and costs, and are still in possession. I was present when a man named John Hogan was evicted. About 150 police and 150 soldiers were there. That was in 1881. After the eviction he was readmitted as caretaker of the house, and was directed to let the lands, pending redemption, to the highest bidder. He let them to Francis Daniel Moynham. The constabulary reported to me that Moynham's house was afterwards fired into. The agreement was for the letting of the grazing of the land during redemption, in order to assist him in redeeming the farm, and Hogan himself negotiated the matter, and brought in Moynham. It was an arrangement between all parties. There was not a bit of ill-feeling in the matter between Hogan and myself. John Moynham was also a tenant.

The witness produced a letter from Moynham, in which he said, "I am in receipt of a note from Mr. Arthur O'Keefe about the payment of my rent. Mr. O'Keefe states that he was obliged to borrow £4, as I only gave him £16, as I was informed that the Earl of Kenmare was giving 20 per cent. reduction. Mr. O'Keefe also says a writ has been issued for me. I have always paid my rent, and I would pay my rent now, but when I paid my rent in November, 1880, my neighbours were afterwards served with writs, and when they came to this office the clerk said they had as good a right to pay their rents as I had. When they came home they began to vent their indignation against me, and I have since been held up as an enemy even at Rathmore. In November a notice was posted and headed, 'The Black Sheep of the Parish.' In that notice my name, with others, appears. John Keefe was a cousin of mine, and I saw him mortally wounded, and I was very much terrified. As a writ has been issued, send me a copy to give my neighbours to understand that I have not paid my rent. So I earnestly entreat you not to tell anybody that I have paid my rent, as it is a sentence of death."

Was Moynham able to pay?—He was in a comfortable position, and had always paid his rent openly before that. Another tenant, Patrick Lawler, wrote that he was afraid of being attacked at night if it were known that he had paid his rent. There was a tenant named Cornelius Leary, who was evicted. Leary was put back as caretaker. Shortly after a party of moonlighters came and shot him in the legs. He got £100 compensation from the county. A caretaker on a farm which had been held by a tenant named Credley, was shot in the back with a bullet, as he was going home from mass. Joseph O'Sullivan was estate bailiff, and he was shot in the back. There was a tenant named Barry, in the occupation of a farm. He occupied it until April 28, 1884. An ejectment was served against him, and he sold his interest to a man named Donovan for £90. Moonlighters shortly afterwards visited him and shot him in the legs. Dennis Sullivan in 1884 took a farm which had been occupied by James Barry.

Was that the same Barry?—No; I think they were cousins. This was James Barry, who lived at Ballymahon. His family sent for him, and he went to America, leaving the farm behind him. (Laughter.) The farm was vacant for some months, and was taken by Sullivan. A Moonlighters' raid was made upon him, and two men, Costley and Leary, were convicted. I know that the Land Leaguers in Killarney got up a subscription for the defence of those men. We have a tenant named John Cronin, and in January, 1885, I received a letter, addressed from the tenant's son in Dublin, enclosing a Post-office order for £2 13s 9d for half a year's rent, and requesting the receipt to be sent to Dublin, lest it should be known that he had paid the rent. A tenant named Timothy Daly forwarded his rent and requested the receipt to be sent to a neighbouring post-office, as he preferred to adopt that method of payment till the "troublous times" had passed away. A tenant named John Gallagher enclosed his rent in a letter from a place fourteen miles away and requested the receipt to be sent in an envelope directed in his own handwriting, so as to avoid observation, remarking in his letter, "We have frightful trouble here in Rathmore about the League." In 1885 a meeting was held at Killarney, at which Mr. William O'Brien, M.P., Mr. Healy, M.P., Mr. Edward Harrington, M.P., and an American priest attended and made some fearful speeches. (Laughter.)

Is it your opinion that that meeting had any effect in the district?—From that day to this we have had nothing but agitation in Kerry. In November, 1885, the *Kerry Sentinel* advised the tenants to pay no rent without 30 per cent. reduction. No reductions were applied for from 1882 to 1885. There had been reductions given in 1879 of 20 per cent; 1880, 20 per cent.; 1881, 20 per cent.; 1885, 25 per cent.; 1886, 20 per cent.; 1887, 20 per cent.; 1888, 20 per cent. This was on all yearly tenancies. No general reduction was demanded from 1882 to 1885, and there was nothing to call for it until the latter end of 1885.

At this stage the Court adjourned until this morning.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

WARWICK AND MANCHESTER NOTES.

The rain which introduced the third and concluding day at Warwick did not last more than a quarter of an hour, and the afternoon, if cold, again turned out bright. There was plenty of racing from beginning to end, and, a start having been made over timber, Young Hopeful carried off the Selling Hurdle Race, and Livingstone the Castle Hurdle Handicap. Young Hopeful was sorely pressed in the straight by Craven, and if his experience had not served him at the last jump the Bourton favourite would have gone down, as he only got home by the shortest of heads. Although he finished up favourite for the second event, Ironclad was never dangerous, and when First Fiddler made a mistake two hurdles from home Alfred threatened to repeat his success of last year. Still he generally fails at the finish, and Livingstone having reached his girths at the last hurdle the Newmarket candidate stayed on, and ultimately won by three parts of a length. The idea that the unknown Unity was a false entry for the Avon Selling Nursery induced the stewards to give orders for the raising of the weights 4lb. Paget won in hollow style from the road, and the Leamington Selling Welter Plate was an easy affair at the finish for Ringlet, after Goldsmith had held a tremendous lead. Neither Paget nor Ringlet changed hands, and each was bought in well worth the money. Two of the combatants in the Leamington Selling Welter came to grief, and with Orlando rolling over Pfungst, the jockeys were fortunate that they escaped with a shaking. Domina Sylva left off favourite for the Warwick Welter Handicap from Londonderry and The Sage, and they were the bottom weights in a field of nine, owing to Plevna having incurred a penalty on Monday. The result proved them to be a very moderate trio, as Greenwich, who had been beaten, at a very little difference, by Whiteboy at Derby, won anyhow in the last quarter of a mile. The Hunters' Flat Race fell to the share of Outcry, and then, in conclusion, Noble Chieftain was found amongst the nine that took part in the Mile Maiden Plate. Whereas the odds upon Lord Penrhyn's sprinter would have been incalculable at five furlongs, the bookmakers folded staunchly, from the doubt that he could not stay the course. For all that, class told a tale, and he was followed past the post by Sienna. In the course of the afternoon Kenilworth was a decided favourite for the Manchester Handicap, and the market signs are to the effect that he has recovered from his October illness. A quick run by special train from Warwick landed the racing folks at Manchester in time for dinner, and, judging from the big overnight entries and the large arrival list, heavy work is in store for the whole of the three days. For to-morrow my selections are as follow: De Trafford Welter Handicap, TONANS and LADY ROSEBERY; Cuerden Plate, MELLIFONT or TORTOISE; Rothschild Plate, KING MONMOUTH; Lancaster Nursery, D'ORSAY or ARISTOS; County Welter Handicap, WARLABY or STOURWICK; Thursday Selling Plate, JEZREEL or BARSKIMMING; Flying Welter Handicap, HARLOW or ALBERTUS. HOTSPUR.

Manchester, Wednesday Night.

LONDON BETTING—WEDNESDAY.

The business upon the Manchester November Handicap was not quite so extensive to-day, but Kenilworth became a better favourite, 100 to 15 being taken, while Mamia advanced to 100 to 14. Fallow Chat found favour at 8 to 1; but Mosspaul declined to 10 to 1 offered. Nappa was backed at 100 to 7, a price always on offer against Yarm, and 15 to 1 was laid against Mont d'Or after 1,000 to 60 had twice been taken. Fealty and Sorrento both advanced to 100 to 6, and Button Park stood at 25 to 1. Prices:

MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

100 to 15 agst	Kenilworth (t & o)	100 to 6 agst	Fealty (t and off)
100 to 14 —	Mamia (t and off)	100 to 6 —	Sorrento (t and o)
8 to 1 —	Fallow Chat (t & o)	20 to 1 —	Lady Rosebery (t and off)
10 to 1 —	Mosspaul (off)	20 to 1 —	Tonans (t and off)
100 to 7 —	Nappa (t)	25 to 1 —	Button Park (t & o)
100 to 7 —	Yarm (t and off)	33 to 1 —	Zanzibar (t and o)
15 to 1 —	Mont d'Or (t)		

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS AND STARTING PRICES.

WARWICK AND LEAMINGTON MEETING.

Race.	Horse.	Rider.	Price.
Selling Hurdle Race (8)	Young Hopeful	Holbeach	5 to 2
Castle Hurdle Handicap (9)	Livingstone	Mr. G. Lambton	100 to 30
Avon Selling Nursery (9)	Paget	Watts	3 to 1
Leamington Selling Welter (9)	Ringlet	G. Barrett	100 to 30
Warwick Welter Handicap (9)	Greenwich	F. Barrett	6 to 1
Hunters' Flat Selling (6)	Outcry	Mr. Thirlwell	5 to 1
Mile Maiden Plate (9)	Noble Chieftain	Webb	4 to 6

[The figures in parentheses indicate the number of starters.]

WARWICK AND LEAMINGTON MEETING.

WEDNESDAY.

A SELLING HURDLE RACE of 3 sovs each, with 50 added; weight for age, with selling allowance; entrance 2 guineas. 2 miles (over eight hurdles).

Mr. E. Weever's Young Hopeful, by Uncas—Dissipation, by Fazzoletto, 6 yrs, 11st 7lb (£50) .. (Holbeach) 1
Mr. C. J. Ball's Craven, 5 yrs, 10st (£50) .. (Barker) 2
Mr. Abington's Stackpole, 5 yrs, 11st 7lb (£50) .. (Brazil) 3
Mr. Van Hinsberg's Nunnery, 3 yrs, 10st (£50) (H. D. Barnes) 0
Mr. Wilkinson's Queen's Prize, 3 yrs, 10st (£50) (F. Purcell) 0
Mr. Simons's Cockenzie, 4 yrs, 11st (£50) .. (A. Hall) 0
Mr. C. Archer's Financier, 4 yrs, 11st (£50) .. (Faiers) 0
Mr. C. W. Waller's Pun, 6 yrs, 11st 7lb (£50) .. (Owner) 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst Young Hopeful, 9 to 2 each agst Cockenzie and Craven, 11 to 2 agst Financier, and 7 to 1 agst Pun.

Pun and Nunnery made joint running, and went on clear of Financier and Young Hopeful, with Stackpole next and Cockenzie last, for half a mile, when Nunnery refused, and took out Cockenzie. Financier was then left in front, and was followed by Pun and Young Hopeful, clear of Craven, until half a mile from home, when Young Hopeful assumed command, and, shaking off the challenge of Craven from the last hurdles, won a fine race by a short head; a bad third. Pun was fourth, and Financier next. Queen's Prize fell at the last hurdle. The winner was bought in for 150 guineas, and Financier was sold to Mr. J. H. Shepherd for 65 guineas.

The CASTLE HURDLE HANDICAP of 5 sovs each, with 100 added; winners extra; entrance 5 guineas. 2 miles (over eight hurdles).

Mr. G. H. Dawkins's Livingstone, by Zealot—Discovery, 4 yrs, 11st 2lb .. (Mr. G. Lambton) 1
Mr. H. Heasman's Alfred, aged, 11st 9lb .. (J. Page) 2
Lord Dudley's Jacob, 6 yrs, 11st .. (Capt. E. R. Owen) 3
Mr. W. G. Stevens's Ironclad, aged, 12st 7lb (Mr. E. P. Wilson) 0
Mr. E. Benjamin's Utility, 4 yrs, 11st 2lb .. (Brazil) 0
Mr. T. Wadlow's Forest, 5 yrs, 11st .. (J. Rogers) 0
Mr. C. Francis's Brian Boru, 4 yrs, 10st 13lb .. (Mosson) 0
Mr. J. Wilson's First Fiddler, 4 yrs, 10st 5lb (Mr. G. Williamson) 0
Mr. W. H. Russell's Fornax, aged, 10st .. (H. Escott) 0
(Winner trained by J. Cannon.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst Ironclad, 100 to 30 agst Livingstone, 11 to 2 agst Alfred, 7 to 1 each agst First Fiddler, Brian Boru, and Fornax, 100 to 8 each agst Utility and Jacob, and 20 to 1 agst Forest.

Forest settled down in front, and was attended by Brian Boru and Jacob, with Ironclad and Livingstone next and Utility last, until turning out of the straight, when Forest was still showing the way, attended by Brian Boru and First Fiddler, with Livingstone now last. No further change of importance occurred until a mile from home, when Utility was pulled up beaten, and shortly afterwards First Fiddler assumed the command. At the five furlongs post Alfred took second place, with Ironclad fourth, until half-a-mile from home, when Ironclad was beaten. Alfred then drew to the front, and was closely followed by First Fiddler and Livingstone, until two hurdles from home, where First Fiddler extinguished his chance by blundering. Livingstone now challenged Alfred, and got the best of a good race by three-quarters of a length; a bad third. First Fiddler was fourth, Forest fifth, and Fornax last.

The AVON SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 103 sovs, by subscription of 3 sovs each; winners extra; the winner to be sold for 50 sovs. 5 furlongs.

Mr. Heasman's Paget, by Beaudesert, dam by Controversy—Mahonia, 8st 12lb .. (Watts) 1
Mr. J. Netten's Extortion, 8st 9lb .. (Rickaby) 2
Mr. A. Day's Hagios, 8st 11lb .. (S. Loates) 2
Mr. Fawcett's Cambalina, 8st 12lb .. (G. Barrett) 0
Mr. Van Hinsberg's Holwich, 8st 10lb .. (Warne) 0
Mr. J. Hammond's Polly Marden, 8st 4lb .. (F. Barrett) 0
Sir J. Duke's Starlight, 8st 3lb .. (White) 0
Mr. J. Adams's f by Kisber—Plevna, 7st 11lb .. (Calder) 0
Mr. Sweeney's Inch Girl, 7st 9lb .. (Wall) 0
(Winner trained by Prince.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst Paget, 4 to 1 agst Cambalina, 9 to 2 each agst Extortion and Polly Marden, 7 to 1 agst Plevna filly, and 10 to 1 each agst Hagios and Inch Girl.

Cambalina jumped off in front, but was quickly passed by Inch Girl, with Plevna filly and Polly Marden next, clear of Paget, until fairly in the line for home, when the last-named rapidly improved his position, and, taking the lead, won easily by two lengths; dead heat for second place between Hagios and Extortion. Polly Marden, beaten about a neck, was fourth, Inch Girl fifth, Starlight sixth, and Plevna filly last. The winner was bought in for 230 guineas.

The LEAMINGTON SELLING WELTER PLATE of 103 sovs; weight for age; mares and geldings allowed 3lb; the winner to be sold for 50 sovs; entrance 3 guineas. 5 furlongs.

Mr. J. W. Smith's Ringlet, by Ringleader—Duchess a Marie, 2 yrs, 7st 6lb .. (G. Barrett) 1
Mr. Nickson's Goldsmith, 2 yrs, 8st 11lb .. (A. Nightingall) 2
Mr. Heasman's Rosy Morn, 6 yrs, 10st .. (Watts) 3
Mr. W. Brown's Grand Composer, 5 yrs, 10st .. (S. Loates) 0
Mr. E. O. Bleackley's Velox, 2 yrs, 8st 7lb .. (Rickaby) 0
Mr. Simon's Pfungst, 2 yrs, 8st 4lb .. (F. Sharpe) 0
Mr. T. Holmes's Orlando, 2 yrs, 8st 7lb .. (Chandley) 0
Mr. J. Sherwood's c by Foxhall—Bonnie Agnes, 2 yrs, 8st 7lb .. (Wingfield) 0
Mr. C. Nevill's Jubilee Chief, 3 yrs, 9st 11lb (car 9st 13lb) .. (Barnes) 0
(Winner trained by Archer.)

Betting—11 to 4 agst Rosy Morn, 100 to 30 agst Ringlet, 4 to 1 agst Grand Composer, 100 to 15 agst Velox, 100 to 12 each agst Pfungst and Orlando, and 10 to 1 agst Goldsmith.

Goldsmith got away with a long lead, and held it to the distance, where he was challenged by Ringlet, who won by a length; four lengths between second and third. Grand Composer was fourth, Velox fifth, and Bonnie Agnes colt, who got badly off, was last. Pfungst and Orlando fell, and their riders were rather badly shaken. The winner was bought in for 160 guineas.

The WARWICK WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs; winners extra; entrance 5 guineas. 1½ mile.

Mr. J. Dawson's Greenwich, by Statesman—Publicity, 6 yrs, 11st 5lb .. (F. Barrett) 1
Mr. W. Watson's Domina Sylva, 5 yrs, 9st 5lb .. (G. Barrett) 2
Mr. G. Cleveland's The Sage, 4 yrs, 9st .. (S. Loates) 3
Mr. J. W. Lee's Osborne, 5 yrs, 12st .. (Webb) 0
Lord Hartington's Isoscles, 4 yrs, 11st 9lb .. (Watts) 0
Mr. J. C. Allen's Abeyance, 3 yrs, 11st 8lb .. (Mr. D. Thirlwell) 0
Lord Bradford's Fair Haven, 3 yrs, 9st 4lb .. (Rickaby) 0
Mr. W. Stevenson's Londonderry, 6 yrs, 9st 3lb .. (Platt) 0
Mr. H. Topp's Plevna, 3 yrs, 8st 9lb (inc 7lb ex) .. (Robinson) 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—9 to 2 each agst Londonderry and Domina Sylva, 11 to 2 agst The Sage, 6 to 1 agst Greenwich, 100 to 14 agst Plevna, 100 to 12 agst Isoscles, 10 to 1 agst Osborne, and 100 to 8 each agst Abeyance and Fair Haven.

Domina Sylva cut out the work, attended by Fair Haven, Greenwich, and Plevna, with Osborne in the rear, for half the journey, when Londonderry took second place, Greenwich going on third, with Fair Haven at the head of the others. At the bend for home Greenwich took second place, and, assuming the lead before reaching the distance, won in a canter by a length; a bad third. Londonderry was fourth, Plevna fifth, Fair Haven sixth, Osborne next, and Abeyance last.

The HUNTERS' FLAT SELLING PLATE of 60 sovs; weight for age, &c.; entrance 3 guineas. 2 miles on the flat.

Mr. Davies's Outcry, by Not Out—Tuba, aged, 11st 12lb (£100) .. (Mr. Thirlwell) 1
Sir J. Duke's Hyacinth, 5 yrs, 11st 6lb (£50) .. (Owner) 2
Mr. W. Smith's Agitator, aged, 11st 10lb (£50) .. (Mr. Sandeen) 3
Mr. W. Fowler's Malcolm, 5 yrs, 11st 3lb (£50) .. (Mr. Villar) 0
Mr. C. H. Jolliffe's Mercia, aged, 11st 10lb (£50) .. (Mr. E. P. Wilson) 0
Mr. C. W. Waller's Prince Paul, aged, 11st 10lb (£50) .. (Owner) 0
(Winner trained Privately.)

Betting—Evens on Hyacinth, 5 to 1 each agst Prince Paul and Outcry.

Agitator settled down with a long lead of Malcolm, with Outcry next, to the mile post, where Malcolm closed with Agitator, and Hyacinth drew into third place. The last-mentioned took the command at the five-furlongs post, but gave way a quarter of a mile from home to Outcry, who won by six lengths; a bad third. Malcolm was fourth. Mercia broke down. The winner was sold to Mr. Weever for 205 guineas.

The MILE MAIDEN PLATE of 105 sovs; weight for age, &c.; entrance 3 guineas. 1 mile.

Lord Penrhyn's Noble Chieftain, by FitzJames—Village Belle, 3 yrs, 9st 13lb .. (Webb) 1
Mr. E. Hobson's Sienna, 4 yrs, 10st 8lb .. (Robinson) 2
Mr. Harding-Cox's Guinevere, 2 yrs, 7st 11lb .. (Allsopp) 3
Mr. Brodrick-Cloete's Santa Monica, 2 yrs, 7st 6lb .. (allowed 5lb) 0
Lord Chesterfield's Sir George, 3 yrs, 9st 13lb .. (J. Jones) 0
Mr. W. Nay's Conglomeration, 3 yrs, 9st 5lb .. (Glover) 0
Mr. Townley-Parker's Fair Sister, 2 yrs, 7st 11lb .. (S. Loates) 0
Mr. G. Legh's Tilbury, 2 yrs, 8st .. (Calder) 0
Baron C. de Tuyll's Master Mason, 3 yrs, 9st 13lb .. (Rickaby) 0
(Winner trained Privately.)

Betting—6 to 4 on Noble Chieftain, 7 to 1 agst Guinevere, 8 to 1 each agst Sir George and Master Mason, and 10 to 1 agst Sienna.

Noble Chieftain waited to the distance, then drew out, and won in a canter by four lengths; a bad third. Master Mason was fourth and Santa Monica last.

LATEST BETTING ON THE COURSE.

MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

550 to 50 agst	Fallow Chat (t)	100 to 6 agst	Zama (t)
100 to 14 —	Mamia (off. after 400 to 50 t)	2000 to 100 —	Button Park (t, after 2250 to 90 laid)
500 to 35 —	Yarm (t)	2000 to 100 —	Eirisport (t)
100 to 7 —	Nappa (t)	20 to 1 —	Sorrento (t)
100 to 7 —	Phil (t)	1000 to 40 —	Lady Rosebery (t)
14 to 1 —	Rhythm (t)		

MANCHESTER NOVEMBER MEETING.

PROGRAMME FOR THIS DAY—THURSDAY.

[The letter "a" is prefixed to horses which have arrived.]

12.50.—The DE TRAFFORD WELTER HANDICAP of 500 sovs, added to a sweepstakes of 5 sovs each; sweepstakes to go to the second; winners (selling races excepted), 5lb; twice or once of 500 sovs, 10lb extra. 1¼ mile.

	Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb
aSurbiton	5 9 10	aPropriety	4 8 10	aPompeius	5 8 5
aLady Rosebery	5 9 7	aDante	4 8 6	aCountess Lilian	3 7 12
aAperse	5 9 4	aFleur de Marie	3 8 5	aSt. John	3 7 7
aTonans	a 9 4	aNetheravon	3 8 4	aPrerogative	3 7 2
aDerwentwater	5 9 2	aYarm	3 8 4		

1.20.—The CUERDEN PLATE of 150 sovs, by subscription of 5 sovs each; two-yr-olds, 8st 5lb; three, 9st 12lb; four and upwards, 10st 3lb; mares and geldings allowed 3lb; winner to be sold for 50 sovs. 5 furlongs.

	Yrs		Yrs		Yrs
aMirabelle	2	aDartmouth	6	aBeau Prince	3
aLaddie	2	aAntler	a	aForbidden Fruit	3
aMiss Sykes	3	aTortoise	2	aCastagnette	3
aMellifont	5	aPartisan	2	aSir Eglamour	2
aGoldsmith	6	aCyanite	2	aMaster Albert	2
aAsturian	2	aAmbush	3	aCaricature	3

1.50.—The ROTHSCHILD PLATE of 300 sovs, by subscription of 10 guineas each; two-yr-olds, 8st 4lb; three, 9st 12lb; four and upwards, 10st 4lb; mares and geldings allowed 3lb; the winner in 1887 or 1888 of 300 sovs (matches, selling races, and handicaps excepted) 5lb, twice of 300 sovs or once of 500 sovs 9lb, three of 300 sovs or twice of 500 sovs or once of 1000 sovs 14lb extra; horses that have never won a weight for age race (selling races not to be reckoned) to be allowed—two-yr-olds 5lb, three 5lb, four and upwards 10lb, but the winner of a handicap this year value 300 sovs not to take these allowances. 7 furlongs.

	Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb
aDante	4 10 13	Early Bird	4 10 4	aDuncraggan	2 8 1
aNoble Chieftain	3 10 7	Trixie	6 10 1	aCadmus	2 8 0
Martley	4 10 4	Bismarck	3 9 12	C by Baliol—Lottie	2 8 0
aWarlaby	4 10 4	Shillelagh	3 9 12	aFolengo	2 8 0
aKing Monmouth	6 10 4	aAssiduity	3 9 9		
		aFealty	4 9 5		
		Link Boy	3 8 9		

2.20.—The LANCASTER NURSERY HANDICAP of 500 sovs, added to a sweepstakes of 5 sovs each (the sweepstakes to go to the second), for two-yr-olds; winners (selling stakes excepted) 7lb; twice or once of the value of 500 sovs, 10lb extra. 7 furlongs. Weights have been raised 5lb.

	St lb		St lb		St lb
aBridlemere	8 12	aRoyal Gem	8 0	aMadcap	6 13
aAristos	8 5	aRushout	7 14	aMatilda II.	6 13
aD'Orsay	8 5	aScreech Owl	7 7	aFolengo	6 13
aFreemason	8 2	aC by Hampton—Lady Lucas	7 4	aSturton	6 9
Blue Peter	8 0				

2.50.—The COUNTY WELTER HANDICAP of 150 sovs, added to a sweepstakes of 5 sovs each; winners (selling stakes excepted) 7lb, twice or once of 300 sovs 10lb extra; second to receive 15 sovs. 1 mile.

	Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb
aStourwick	6 9 6	aDante	4 8 1	aRaystone	5 7 5
aWarlaby	4 9 4	aKeraunos	4 7 13	aLady Cashier	3 7 5
aStour and Avon (7lb)	5 9 3	aTyrant	5 7 12	aPrerogative	3 7 5
Abeyance	3 8 13	Governor Waller	4 7 12	aDaisy	3 7 5
aSanctuary	5 8 7	Cabal	4 7 12	aCamaralzaman	4 7 5
Dornoch	3 8 7	aLowdown	5 7 10	aEastern Beauty	3 7 5
True Blue II.	5 8 4	Fair Haven	3 7 9	aWenlock Edge	4 7 5
aYarm	3 8 2	aCastilian	4 7 9	Wanderer	3 7 5
aFleur de Marie	3 8 2	Lovegold	4 7 8		
		aTottenham	5 7 7		

3.20.—The THURSDAY SELLING PLATE of 103 sovs; two-yr-olds, 8st 7lb; three, 9st 10lb; four and upwards, 10st 3lb; mares and geldings allowed 3lb; winner to be sold for 100 sovs. 5 furlongs.

	Yrs		Yrs		Yrs
aPelham	5	aMaster Patrick	2	aTrinidad	3
aDuke of Marlborough	3	aJezreel	5	aAmbush	3
aBlood Royal	3	aMadame Judas	2	aBlitz	3
aEast Lothian	2	aRoslin	2	aChurch Mouse	2
aThe Penman	5	aBarskimming	2	aMaster Albert	2
		aLeoline	4	aCaricature	2

3.50.—The FLYING WELTER HANDICAP of 150 sovs, added to a sweepstakes of 5 sovs each; winners (selling stakes excepted) 7lb; twice or once of 300 sovs, 10lb extra; second to receive 15 sovs. 5 furlongs.

	Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb		Yrs st lb
Bartizan	5 10 2	aLyddington	5 9 0	Primus	3 7 13
Frapotel	4 9 12	Molly Lepel (7lb ex)	3 8 9	aFlower o' the May	3 7 13
Hugo	4 9 12	Harpagon	3 8 7	aHarlow (7lb ex)	3 7 12
Sweet Alice	4 9 10	aBlitz	6 8 7	aPrince William	3 7 9
aMarmiton	5 9 10	aSawdust	3 8 7	aThe Slogger	3 7 8
Spearmint	4 9 8	aArga	3 8 5	aParga	3 7 8
St. Symphorien	3 9 7	aDolores	5 8 5	Pavetta	3 7 8
aLal Brough	4 9 7	Helmsley	5 8 4	aHollyoak	3 7 8
Brooklyn	5 9 5	aAlbertus	3 8 4	aFarington	3 7 7
Powder Puff	3 9 2	aPenhill	3 8 3		
aFoothill	4 9 1	Saucy Lass	3 8 2		
aApril Fool	4 9 0	aUpstart	4 8 1		

ARRIVALS.

Abaddon
Agnes Hewitt
Albertus
Ambush
Antler
Aperse
April Fool
Arga
Aristos
Assiduity
Asturian
Bactilus
Banana
Barskimming
Beau Prince
Blitz
Blood Royal
Border Queen
Bow Church
Bridlemere
Button Park
Cadmus
Camaralzaman
Cara
Castagnette
Castilian
Church Mouse
Cigar Light
Clamour
Claymore
Countess Lilian
Cyanite
Daisy
Dante
Dartmouth
Derwentwater
Dolores
Domina Sylva
D'Orsay
Duart
Duke of Marlborough
Duncraggan
Eastern Beauty
East Lothian
Eirisport
Elixir
Fallow Chat
Farington
Fealty
First Fiddler
Fleur de Marie
Flower o' the May
Folengo
Forbidden Fruit
Forest Dancer
Freemason
Gaillarde
Gallinule
Givendale
Glenshane
Glenshee
Goldsmith
Harlow
Holyoak
Hortari
Idmon
Ingram
Jezreel
Keraunos
King Monmouth
Laddie
Lady Cashier
Lady Ellen
Lady Lucas colt
Lady Rosebery
Lal Brough
Leoline
Lowdown
Lown
Lyddington
Lynx
Madame Judas
Madcap
Markeaton
Marmiton
Master Albert
Master Patrick
Matilda II.
Mellifont
Mirabelle
Monkshood
Mosspaul
Neapolis
Nelly Rose
Netheravon
Nimeusis
Noble Chieftain
Oatbine
Parga
Partisan
Pelham
Penhill
Penman, The
Pompeius
Prerogative
Prince William
Propriety
Quakeress
Raystone
Reefer
Renewal
Roburite
Roslin
Royal Gem
Rushout
Sanctuary
Sawdust
Scotch Monk
Screech Owl
Scylla
Scythe
Shrew, The
Simonia
Sir Eglamour
Slogger, The
Southill
Springbeck
Stour and Avon
Stourwick
Sturton
Surbiton
Swallow, The
Tonans
Tortoise
Tottenham
Trinidad
Tynesail
Tyrant
Tyrone
Upstart
Warlaby
Wenlock Edge
Whiteboy
Wynyard
Yarm
Zanzibar

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

OUT OF ALL ENGAGEMENTS HERE.—Lobster, Belle Mahone, Domina Sylva, and Stronvar.

Mr. J. F. Clark, who relinquishes the post of official judge to the Jockey Club at the close of the present season, completed his thirty-sixth year as judge of the Warwick Meeting yesterday.

FOOTBALL.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY v. NEWPORT.—These Rugby teams met at the Queen's Club, Kensington, yesterday afternoon, before a moderate number of spectators. The students kicked off against the wind, and for some time play was very even, neither side gaining any distinct advantage. Two minutes before the interval arrived, F. R. Alderson secured a try, which W. M. Scott converted, and the sides changed over without any addition. In the second portion the Welshmen were not seen to such advantage, and the Cantabs had things all their own way, eventually winning by five goals and three tries to one goal, which Webb kicked from a place secured by C. J. Thomas. The tries were obtained by Alderson (two), Todd, Scott, and Morrison one each.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE, SANDHURST, v. ROYAL ENGINEERS (R.).—Decided at Sandhurst yesterday afternoon, when the Sappers defeated their rivals by one goal and five tries to nothing.

SURREY v. HANTS (A.).—This county contest was played at Walton-on-Thames yesterday. The game ruled pretty even throughout, and at the conclusion the result was a draw, both sides scoring one goal each.

CASUALS v. INCOGNITI (A.).—At Upper Tooting yesterday Casuals scored four goals to their opponents one.

WESTMINSTER HOSPITAL v. CHARING-CROSS HOSPITAL.—Playing under Association rules, at Raynes Park, yesterday, Westminster beat their rival students by two goals to one.

BILLIARDS.

COOK v. M'NEIL.—With both men in their best form, yesterday, the play at the Aquarium proved to be remarkably interesting. The match is 10,000 up, spot-barred, and M'Neil is allowed 1,000 start. On Tuesday evening the scores were—White, 3,876; Cook, 3,333; and the latter yesterday once more gained on his rival. The ex-champion, amongst other breaks, made 83, 84, 86, 108, 101, 87, 61, 74, 85, 65, 66, 66, and 146. M'Neil compiled 62, 77, 65, 75, and 149; and at the end of the day he was 329 behind on the handicap, the game being in the following position: Cook (in play), 5,000; M'Neil, 5,111.

A REAL "JACK THE RIPPER."

At Southwark Police-court, yesterday, Collingwood Hilton Fenwick, twenty-six, described as "a gentleman of independent means," residing at 34, Methley-street, Kennington-road, was brought up on remand charged before Mr. Slade with unlawfully cutting and wounding Ellen Worsford with intent to do her grievous bodily harm.

Mr. Slade prosecuted on behalf of the Treasury; and Mr. St. John Wontner appeared for the prisoner.

The facts were fully reported last week. It was alleged that the prisoner met the prosecutrix in the Westminster Bridge-road, and accompanied her to her lodgings in Ann's-place, Waterloo-road, and there, without any apparent motive, stabbed her with a penknife. He then effected his escape, but was followed and given into custody.

According to the evidence of Dr. Farr, the divisional surgeon, the wound, although a nasty one, was not dangerous.

On the case being called on yesterday afternoon Mr. Sims said that the facts had been brought before the Director of Public Prosecutions, and he was instructed to ask that the prisoner should be committed for trial, charged with intent to murder. Information had reached the Treasury that the accused had been guilty of other offences, but as these had been committed beyond the jurisdiction of the court he did not propose to take any cognisance of them.

Mr. Wontner, for the defence, said he could not oppose the application to commit the prisoner; but he denied that his client had been guilty of the other offences imputed to him.

Mr. Slade committed Fenwick for trial at the Central Criminal Court.

COLEMAN-STREET WARD.—A meeting of the electors is to be held at the school rooms, London-wall, to-day, at noon, to receive a communication from Mr. Alderman Saunders. It is rumoured that the alderman seeks to obtain a vote of confidence from his constituents. In view of a vacancy being created a requisition is in course of signature to Mr. Walter H. Harris, of the firm of Garle and Harris, stockbrokers.

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AMERICANS "AT HOME."

[FROM OUR NEW YORK CORRESPONDENT].

There is a very significant meaning attached to the result of the recent election. The effect accomplished is much wider and deeper than was at first contemplated. Without doubt it puts the Democrats out of power for many years to come. This can be very clearly shown, for the reason that the Republicans have now in their own hands the means of perpetuating their reign indefinitely. For many years there has been a struggle between the North and South for the control of the National Government. The war with Mexico was an idea of Southern leaders, who hoped to make territorial conquests, so as to give new States to the Southern side, and thus overbalance the party of the North. It is long since the Republicans have had control of all the branches of the Government. The Democrats have dominated the House of Representatives. The territories of the West and North-West are in the main populated by people from the North, and are Republican in their political sympathies, and the Democrats have been able to keep these Republican territories from being admitted as States. Now, however, that their opponents are once more in power, they will undoubtedly make two States of the territory of Dakota, while admitting Washington, Montana, and New Mexico. This will make four States to be added to the Republican column, and give an overwhelming majority against that Solid South, which has been broken in this campaign, West Virginia being the first Southern State to join the Republicans. This district has large and newly-developed manufacturing interests, and its support has been obtained through the free trade policy of the Administration, which is considered to threaten local industries. Indeed, there is no doubt whatever that it was the tariff question that lost the President his re-election. There is no evidence of any large sums of money being used in the campaign for corrupt purposes. Both sides were too thoroughly alert and on guard for this to be possible. The State of New York went against Cleveland through the defection of the Democratic votes in Brooklyn, in which city the homes of the majority of the working classes of New York are situated, and the wage-earning people, unlike their brethren in England, seem to be opposed to a policy of free trade. President Cleveland also hurt his position very much through his ungenerous and impolitic, if not hostile treatment of England. Every member of Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet must retire into obscurity. Mr. Bayard, Secretary of State, had confidently counted upon coming back to the United States Senate. The legislature of that State which has been for many years democratic has also been captured by the Republicans.

It will be interesting now that the political excitement of the time is at an end to glance at the character and personal appearance of the President-Elect. General Benjamin Harrison is a man in the neighbourhood of fifty years of age. He is short, with a round compact figure. His head is large, and set closely upon his shoulders. His sandy-coloured hair is thin and tinged with grey; his forehead full and high; his eyes large and deep-set, and his nose small and slightly *retroussé*. He has a firm mouth, and, unlike the majority of his countrymen, he wears a long grey beard. His complexion is very sallow. He is an untiring worker, a man of most positive character, and in whose private and public career not even his worst enemies will find anything for hostile criticism. A rigid Presbyterian, he made during the war a good record as a brave soldier, and for years he has been regarded as one of the first lawyers of his State. As a party man he is severely consistent, but he is noted for being fair and even liberal in his political contests. Once when successfully opposed for his State there were grounds for believing that his defeat had been obtained by improper methods. The majority of the Senate is the judge of an election in a case of this kind, and the contest being a very close one the Republicans in caucus made an offer to General Harrison to set aside the election of his opponent and seat him if he would outline the slightest claim to the return. General Harrison refused to consider this proposition, saying that he had been defeated and would cheerfully abide the result. Four years ago, during the election campaign, I had the pleasure of spending an evening with General Harrison in a little country hotel at Augusta (Me.). He was at that time making speeches on Mr. Blaine's canvass. It was during the latter part of the autumn. The General, who has the reputation of being reticent and reserved, before the glow of a bright open fire completely thawed out and showed himself to be one of the most companionable of men. He told a number of stories of the war and political campaigning, which illustrated keen powers of penetration, and a quiet appreciation of fun. He is not a man to be influenced unduly by friend or colleague. Indeed, it is a very serious question to-day in the United States whether Mr. Blaine will be in President Harrison's Cabinet. Meanwhile the forecast, which is being discussed in various quarters, publishes John Sherman, of Ohio, Secretary of State; Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, Secretary of War; and W. B. Allison, of Iowa, Secretary of the Treasury.

Over two million dollars were wagered upon the Presidential election in the State of New York alone. One of the heavy winners is Senator Matthew Quay, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, and consequently the director-general of the Republican campaign. He backed his own management of the contest to such an extent that his winnings represent upwards of $80,000. The heaviest loser on the other side is one of the principal Democratic managers, Congressman William L. Scott, of Erie. He is worth many millions, and can afford to lose the $100,000 which he wagered upon the Cleveland side. Some of the amusing features of the recent betting are being developed. One political magnate was obliged by the election result to walk from New York to Philadelphia, a distance of ninety miles, or forfeit $1,000; another will have to walk to Albany, a still greater distance. Others have made such absurd wagers as will compel the losers to shave off half their beards. One well-known citizen will be obliged to stand on a barrel at a corner of a busy street and sing hymns for an hour. A prominent politician is pledged to promenade Broadway from end to end dressed as a negro minstrel. Perhaps the most interesting of these curious records is that of a young woman who promised to marry her lover on the day after the election if Cleveland were returned; but if Harrison should be successful then the wretched lover must pay the penalty of waiting four years.

Mrs. Cleveland intends making her last winter at the White House socially celebrated. Many guests have been invited to accept the hospitality of the Executive mansion. There will be a series of both formal and informal receptions. The gaieties of the Republican Palace, as a rule, are of a more or less official character. Mrs. Cleveland will establish some notable precedents in a more pleasurable direction. Mrs. Harrison is said by her friends to be quite equal to any claims that the White House may make upon her either as hostess or leader of society. When her husband was in the Senate she presided over her household at Washington with a grace and charm that made her home delightful to visitors and friends. Her "Thursdays" were always among the most pleasant social events of the week. She dressed well, not extravagantly, but in rich and artistic fabrics. There are already quite a family of Harrisons at Washington. Mrs. Harrison's father is in the Government service there. Her sister, Mrs. Lord, and several cousins, have their homes in the city. The ladies of Washington are speculating upon having at the White House a pet baby in the General's grandchild, the little son of his only married daughter, Mrs. M'Kee, who, it is said, will for a season reside with her parents. It is many years since the Presidential mansion echoed to the sound of infant voices. The cultivation of flowers has always been a feature of the place, and the Clevelands have added greatly to the attractions of the conservatory. Nearly all the superb roses which decorated the Endicott mansion on the occasion of Mr. Chamberlain's marriage came from the White House. The bride, who will shortly leave the United States with her husband for England, will no doubt take a leading position in society on your side of the Atlantic. She is a young lady of more than ordinary accomplishments, twenty-six years of age, a blonde, with a tall, slight figure. She cannot be called handsome, although she has a most pleasing face, being, it is thought, much indebted for her good looks to her fresh English colour. Very popular in Washington society, she is noted for her thorough self-possession, and brilliant conversational powers. Her father has a moderate fortune, and will settle upon his daughter $100,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain are spending their honeymoon at Chevy Chase, which has been lent to them by Captain John Rogers. It is a delightful home, near the Maryland line. The newspaper reporters have not yet discovered the bridal retreat, though a number of acquaintances have been plying it with presents of all kinds. This manner of withdrawing into the country after marriage is described here as the English fashion of "honeymooning."

The first pilgrimage of any body of Catholics from the United States is now preparing for departure to Rome and the Holy Land. They will number over 100. One of the objects of this religious function is to stimulate interest in the annual Good Friday offerings of Catholics for the support of the Franciscans, who have for many centuries cared for the sacred places in Palestine associated with events in the life of Christ.

Great preparations are being made in this city for a national celebration upon April 29 and 30 next, of the centennial of the inauguration of George Washington as first President of the United States. The new President and his Cabinet will take part in the festivities, which will include parades and receptions, winding up with a grand ball.

Princess Verogna, daughter of a celebrated Mohawk chief, is now lecturing in this country. She recently announced publicly that she had collected $1,000,000 in London for the purpose of establishing a University at Washington for educating Indians. Colonel Jacques, of London, who formerly lived in Philadelphia, is said to have pledged to the cause this handsome sum of money.

One of the most remarkable incidents of the moment is reported from Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Geo. Hirsch, of Nevarro County, has given birth to six children, all of whom are living and doing well. Four are boys and two are girls. The boys have been named Frederick, Mills, Cleveland, and Thurman; the girls are Victoria and Louise. The babies have been labelled carefully, so as to preserve their identity.

The tragedy at the Paxton House Hotel, Omaha, Nebraska, has created a most painful sensation. Henry W. King is a member of a wealthy and highly-respected family at Chicago. He went to Omaha to represent his father's business firm, and introduced at the Paxton House as his wife a singularly handsome and attractive young woman. Shortly afterwards there arrived another lady, showily dressed and of attractive manners, who entered her name in the hotel book as Mrs. Henry W. King. At midnight she went to King's rooms and announced herself somewhat noisily. Mr. King, not desiring the two women to meet, went out into the passage to speak with the new-comer. She flung her arms about his neck; he repulsed her; she drew a revolver and fired at him. He fled; she followed; he stumbled on reaching the staircase, whereupon, taking deliberate aim, she fired three times. King had clung to the bannister to prevent himself from falling. At the third shot his hold relaxed, and he fell backwards down the stairway, pierced through the heart. The woman flung herself upon the body, exclaiming, "I have killed my husband," and was immediately arrested. It appears that the first lady mentioned in this terrible business was King's wife. The other, who killed him, is a Mrs. Beecher, of Chicago, with whom he had lived previous to his marriage to Miss Duffy, of St. Louis.

FIRES IN THE METROPOLIS.

The Queen's-road Railway Station of the London, Brighton, and South Coast Company at Peckham was partially destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Captain Shaw thus records the outbreak: "Called at 3.45 a.m. (Nov. 21), to Queen's-road, Peckham, S.E., to the property of the London, Brighton, and South Coast Railway Company (A. Sarle, general manager); cause of fire unknown; insurance, if any effected, unknown; damage, about 330ft of down platform and a range of timber buildings, about 40ft by 10ft, used as lamp and porters' rooms and lavatories, and the contents, and about 225ft of the main platform burned and fallen down; two staircases leading to ditto severely damaged by fire, and offices and contents under by water, &c.; ditto, ditto, T. W. Williams, tobacconist; contents insured in the Liverpool and London and Globe; back room on ground floor and the contents damaged by fire, &c., shop and contents damaged by smoke and water, and two doors broken open; ditto, ditto, A. G. Tattershall, printer, &c.; contents insured in the London and Lancashire; shop and the contents slightly damaged by fire and water and skylight broken; 103 C, ditto, A. Pitt, hosier; shop and contents damaged by water and removal; 105, ditto, J. J. Child, furniture dealer; some unfinished work damaged by water and removal; Queen's-road-yard, ditto, the London Tramways Company (W. H. Andrews, secretary), seven railway-arches (used as stables) and the contents damaged by removal."

A fire, which was attended with some very exciting incidents, broke out at eight minutes to five yesterday morning at 235, Brick-lane, Spitalfields, upon the premises of Mr. H. E. King, upholsterer. When the alarm was raised the inmates, who were all in bed at the time, were awakened to find the house full of smoke. Two young men lodgers dropped out of the windows and reached the ground without serious injury, while Mrs. King, carrying her two children in her arms, rushed through the heat and smoke to the front door, and escaped with burns on the hands. Her husband had to drop from the window, and as he did so a burst of flame caught him and he was badly burnt on the hands and face. The most exciting incident of the fire, however, was a few seconds later, when it was discovered that the servant girl, sixteen years old, was missing, and when the firemen arrived a brave and successful attempt was made to save her. Engineer Spindelow entered the premises, and crawling along on his hands and knees through the dense smoke, discovered the girl lying on the floor burnt and apparently dead. He carried her out, and it was then found that she was partially suffocated, while the flames had burnt her feet. She was immediately removed to the London Hospital. The premises were greatly damaged before the fire was extinguished.

IRISH AFFAIRS.

The Queen's Bench Division, Dublin, yesterday granted a conditional order for a certiorari to quash the verdict of the coroner's jury at Ardee, co. Louth, finding Messrs. Emerson and Dudgeon, solicitors and agents to Captain Singleton, guilty of manslaughter in connection with the death of James Dunne, the tenant who died shortly after eviction on Oct. 11 last. The Exchequer Division confirmed several convictions of resident magistrates in which cases had been stated.

A Killarney telegram says the Plan of Campaign appears daily to extend over the Kenmare estate, where the stock has been taken off many of the farms, and agricultural produce, also, has been removed.

Last night a largely-attended public meeting was held at the St. Pancras Vestry Hall for the purpose of hearing an address from Father M'Fadden, of Gweedore, co. Donegal, until lately a political prisoner in Ireland. Mr. T. Eccleston Gibb, Liberal candidate for East St. Pancras, occupied the chair. Father M'Fadden, who was heartily cheered, took the warmth of his reception as an omen that the glory for which they were aiming was not far distant. Despite what so-called Liberal Unionists might assert, the integrity of the Empire was one of the principal planks in the Home Rule programme, and he predicted that the realisation of the aspirations of the Gladstonian and Irish party would strengthen rather than weaken the unity of Great Britain and Ireland. Evictions were the sore which most pained the Irish body, and evictions were largely due to arrears, and in order to remove excitement and agitation it was absolutely necessary to grapple with the arrears difficulty. He rejoiced in the assistance which he had been able to render the people of Gweedore. He had been incarcerated for his conduct, and if Mr. Balfour was satisfied with the result so was he. On the motion of Mr. W. P. Clayden, seconded by Mr. N. Robinson, a resolution was carried with acclamation expressing "unbounded confidence in the great leader of the Liberal party, and in the wisdom and justice of his policy for Ireland, and at the same time denouncing and repudiating the present detestable scheme of the Government for enriching Irish landlords at the expense of the British taxpayer." Mr. Stansfeld, M.P., subsequently spoke, and promised to convey the resolution to Mr. Gladstone.

Odd Fellows' Jubilee.—Mr. Justice Kekewich presided last night, at the Cannon-street Hotel, at the festivities in honour of the jubilee of the North London District of the Manchester Unity of Odd Fellows. Over 200 gentlemen dined together, amongst them being Mr. Richard Chamberlain, M.P., Mr. George Bartley, M.P., Mr. Eastwood (Grand Master of the Manchester Unity of Odd Fellows), Mr. George Whyard (Grand Master of the North London District), and others. The celebration also commemorated the jubilee of the institution of the Widows and Orphans' Society, of which Mr. John Tovell is president. The reports presented showed that of the 700,000 members of the Manchester Unity, 16,000 were in the North London District; and of the total worth of the order (£6,500,000), £237,000 was in the district. The number of initiations in 1887 was 1,308, and the deaths 212. The contributions in that year were £23,472 11s 9½d, and the sick and funeral payments £21,357 6s 1d. The statistics of the Widows and Orphans' Society showed that at the end of 1887 there was a reserve capital of £3,177 12s 3½d.

County Council Elections.—The Local Government Board have forwarded circulars to counties and boroughs, in which they say that their attention has been called to certain difficulties which have arisen as to who should be the returning officers in the coming County Council Elections for certain electoral divisions which are coextensive with boroughs divided into wards, or are comprised in such boroughs, but not coextensive with wards. The board have therefore issued an order determining, in pursuance of the Local Government Act, that in such cases the returning officer shall be the mayor of the borough or a person appointed by him.

Co-operative Colonisation.—An influential meeting of ladies and gentlemen took place at the Westminster Palace Hotel yesterday afternoon, under the presidency of the Marquis of Lorne, for the purpose of hearing from Mr. W. L. Rees, of New Zealand, a statement of his plans of co-operative colonisation. After the meeting had been addressed by the chairman, Wi Pere (a Maori chief representing the natives of the North Island), and Mr. Rees, a resolution was unanimously adopted appointing a provisional committee to inquire as to the practicability of Mr. Rees's proposals, and to report to a future meeting. Among the speakers were Mr. A. M'Arthur, M.P., Mr. Arnold White, the Rev. A. Gerald Joyce, and Mr. F. Larkins.

Sentenced to Death.—At Worcester Assizes yesterday, Mr. Justice Field sentenced to death Samuel Crowther, aged seventy, for the murder of John Willis, at Droitwich, on Aug. 1.

On Tuesday the traffic receipts of the Suez Canal amounted to 10,000f, against 230,000f on the corresponding day of last year.

Hatchman's System of International Education in England, France, Germany, Spain, Belgium, or Switzerland. [illegible] (Advt.)

Tobacconists Commencing.—For advice how to [illegible] (Advt.)

Stoves.—Comfortable Homes in Cold Weather.—[illegible] (Advt.)

Kay's Compound for Coughs and Colds (Linseed, Aniseed, [illegible]) [illegible] (Advt.)

AMERICAN MARKETS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

New York, Nov. 21.—Stocks opened weak and lower. The market remained depressed throughout the day, and closed heavy at the lowest figures. Money easy. Petroleum quiet, but steady. Flour heavy. Sugar and Tin firm, but quiet. Iron steady.

	Yesterday's Prices.	To-day's Prices.
Call Money, U.S. Government Bonds	2 p.c.	2 p.c.
Call Money, Other Securities	2 p.c.	2 p.c.
Exchange on London, Sixty Days	4 84½	4 84½
Cable Transfers	4 88½	4 88½
Exchange on Paris (60 days' sight)	5 22½	5 22½
Exchange on Berlin (60 days' sight)	95	95¼
Four per Cent. U.S. Funded Loan	128¾	128¾
Western Union Telegraph Shares	84⅞	83¾
Canada Southern Shares	52⅞	51¼
Canadian Pacific Shares	53½	52⅞
Central of New Jersey Shares	90⅝	89¼
Central Pacific Shares	35	34⅞
Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy	x d 109½	108¾
Chicago and North-West. Ordinary	110⅛	109⅞
Chicago and North-West. Pref. Shrs.	141	140
Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul Com.	64⅞	63
Chicago, Milwaukee, &c., Preferred	105½	103½
Delaware, Lackawanna, and Western	137½	136¼
Denver and Rio Grande Shares	16	16
Illinois Central Shares	116	116
Lake Shore and Michigan Southern	99⅝	98⅞
Louisville and Nashville Shares	56⅝	54½
Michigan Central Shares	85	84
Missouri, Kansas, and Texas Shares	13⅝	13
New York, Lake Erie, and Western	27	26⅝
New York, ditto, 2nd Mort. Bds.	100⅞	99⅞
New York Central and Hudson River	108½	107½
New York, Ontario, and Western	15	15
Northern Pacific Common Stock	26	25½
Northern Pacific Preferred Stock	60⅛	58⅞
Norfolk and Western Pref. Shares	50	47½
Ohio and Mississippi Shares	22⅛	21¼
Oregon and Trans-Continental	30⅛	29⅛
Philadelphia and Reading Shares	48⅞	47⅜
St. Louis & San Francisco Com. Shrs.	27	26½
St. Louis & San Francisco Pref. Shrs.	67⅛	66⅛
St. Louis & S. Francisco First Prf. Shrs.	112	111
Union Pacific Shares	64⅜	63
Wabash, S. Louis, & Pacific Com. Shrs.	13⅛	12
Wabash, S. Louis, & Pacific Pref. Shrs.	26	24
Cotton, Day's Receipts at U.S. Ports	59,000	40,000
Cotton, Day's Export to Great Britain	34,000	23,000
Cotton, Day's Export to Continent	5,000	2,000
Petroleum, Crude	6 60	6 60
Petroleum, Standard White	7 25	7 25
Spirits of Turpentine	46½	46½
Lard, Wilcox's	9 00	8 95
Lard, Wilcox's Futures (Dec. del.)	9 00	8 95
Lard, Fairbank's	9 00	8 95
Sugar, Fair Refining Muscovadoes	5¼	5¼
Corn, New Western	48½	49
Wheat, Spring, No. 2, Chicago	110½	111
Wheat, Red Winter, on spot	106⅞	106⅝
Coffee, Fair Rio, on spot	15⅞	16
Coffee, Good Rio, on spot	16	16⅛
Flour, Extra State Shipping Brands	3.50 3.70	3.50 3.70
Iron, Coltness, No. 1	21 50	21 50
Tin, Straits	22 35	22 40
Steel Rails	28½	28½
Copper (Dec. delivery)	17 47½	17 60
Freight Petroleum to United Kingdom	3s 9d	3s 9d
Freight for Grain, strs. to L'pool, pr. bl.	5¼d	5¼d
Freight ditto London, do.	6¼d	6¼d
Freight for Cotton to Liverpool	¼	¼
PHILADELPHIA.		
Pennsylvania Railroad Shares	52⅝	52⅝
Petroleum, Standard White	7 15	7 15
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling, on spot	9⅜	9⅜

PRICES FOR FUTURE DELIVERY.

New York, Nov. 21.—Wheat at the opening was weaker at 1c decline, and prices fluctuated immediately with early sales as follows: December, 104⅛, and May, 111⅛. The opening decline was due to "bulls" realising. The market afterwards advanced on "shorts" covering. There was only a small demand for export, and the closing is strong at ⅛c to ⅝c advance.

Sales, futures, 10,832,000 bushels; spot, 28,000 bushels. Receipts, 30,000 bushels; same day last year, 76,996. Clearances, 40,000 bushels.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	May.	June.
To-day	105⅜	105⅞	107⅞	108¼	—	111⅛	112⅛
Yesterday	104⅞	104⅞	107⅛	108⅛	—	111⅞	—

Corn was unchanged at the opening, and values improved later in the day on "bulls" operating more freely, and, with a good export demand, the final tone is steady at ⅛c to ⅜c advance.

Sales, futures, 384,000 bushels; spot, 246,000 bushels. Receipts, 240,000 bushels; same day last year, 85,139. Clearances, 210,000 bushels.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	May.
To-day	48⅞	48⅝	48⅝	48⅞	48⅞
Yesterday	48	48⅝	48	48	47⅞

Lard has been somewhat depressed. There has, however, been some demand to purchase current month, which closes unchanged, other positions being 5 to 8 points lower; tone weak.

Sales, 6,000 tierces.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	May.
To-day	8.80	8.60	—	8.52	8.55	8.58
Yesterday	8.80	8.68	—	8.56	8.60	8.65

Coffee opened stronger, December being 20 and March and June 30 points up. The market further advanced immediately, and early sales of December resulted at 1400. Later in the day values continued to improve on "bulls" operating more freely, and, with a good demand in most positions, the closing is strong at 30 to 50 points advance.

Sales, 116,000 bags.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.
To-day	14.30	14.10	14.10	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.15	14.20	14.20
Yesterday	13.95	13.80	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70	13.70

Cotton has been moderately active, and the closing is steady, with values mostly unchanged.

Sales, 65,300 bales.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.
To-day	9.66	9.66	9.73	9.82	10.02	10.12	10.20	10.29	10.37
Yesterday	9.65	9.66	9.73	9.82	10.02	10.12	10.20	10.29	10.37

Petroleum Pipe Line Certificates were stronger at the opening, at 86⅛, but afterwards declined on "bears" operating, and the closing is steady at 85¼.

Sales, 1,685,000 barrels; pipe-line runs, 58,000 barrels; shipment from regions, 122,000 barrels.

Copper has been inactive, with no new feature. The closing quotation for December delivery is 17 60.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—Wheat at the opening was weaker, and ⅜c lower. Prices advanced immediately, and early business was done in January at 105⅞ and 105¼. Later in the day "bears" came in to cover, causing the market to advance, and the closing is strong, with values 1⅛c to 1¼c higher. On the "curb" May was quoted at 111⅛.

Receipts, 400,000 bushels; same day last year, 682,040 bushels.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	May.
To-day	106⅞	107	108⅛	110⅞
Yesterday	106⅛	106⅞	106⅛	109⅛

Corn opened unchanged, and values afterwards improved owing to "bull" operations, and the closing is steady at ⅛c to ⅜c advance.

Receipts, 450,000 bushels; same day last year, 418,668 bushels.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	May.
To-day	40	38⅞	36⅞	36⅞	38⅞
Yesterday	39⅞	37⅞	36⅞	36⅞	38⅞

Lard opened unchanged, and later in the day values fell off owing to free sales, and the closing is weak at 7½ to 10 points decline.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	May.
To-day	8.40	8.20	—	8.32
Yesterday	8.50	8.30	—	8.40

Pork has ruled easier owing to free sales, and the closing is weak at 10 to 15 points decline.

Receipts: Hogs, 30,000; same day last year, 35,627.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Year Pork.
To-day	14.55	—	14.55	14.55
Yesterday	14.65	—	14.70	14.65

Ribs have been in less demand, and close weak at a decline of 7½ points.

	Nov.	Jan.	Feb.
To-day	—	7.40	—
Yesterday	—	7.47½	—

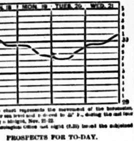
Bacon has been less active, and closes 10 points lower. Light and heavy hogs are unchanged.

Receipts: Hogs, Western Cities, 78,000; same day last year, 76,000.

	Clear middle halves.	Light hogs.	Heavy hogs.
To-day	7.75	5.25	5.35
Yesterday	7.85	5.35	5.35

The provision market ruled weak.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.



The above chart represents the movement of the barometer, corrected for sea level and reduced to 32° F., during the last four days ending midnight, Nov. 21-22.

The Meteorological Office last night (8.30) issued the subjoined forecasts:

PROSPECTS FOR TO-DAY.

Districts.	Forecasts.
0. Scotland, N. 1. Do. E. 2. England, N.E.	S.W. or S. winds, increasing to a gale again, with rain; unsettled weather.
3. Do. E. 4. Midland Counties. 5. England, S. (with London and Channel).	Wind backing to S.W. or S., light; fine and cold at first, stronger and unsettled later.
6. Scotland, W. 7. England, N.W. (and N. Wales).	Strong S. or S.W. winds and gales, with rain.
8. England, S.W. (and S. Wales). 9. Ireland, N.	S.W. winds, increasing; very unsettled, squally and becoming rainy.
10. Do. S.	Same as Nos. 6 and 7.
Warnings.	The S. cone has been hoisted this evening in Districts 0, 1, 6, 7, 9, 10, and part of 8.

Robert H. Scott, Secretary.

LATEST INDICATIONS.

"DAILY TELEGRAPH" OFFICE, THURSDAY (7 A.M.)

Bar.	Therm.	Wind.	Weather.
30·18 Rising.	47°	W.N.W. Fresh.	Clear.

Our correspondents forward the following latest telegraphic reports:

[illegible].—Bar. 30·12, rising; wind W.N.W.; fine day, with light clouds; a fine night.
Cork.—Bar. 30·18, rising; wind W.N.W.; cloudy and cool.
[illegible].—Bar. 30·08, falling; therm. 40°; wind S.W., moderate; showery in the morning, fine afternoon.
[illegible] (7.32 p.m.).—Bar. 29·61, falling; therm. 38°; wind backed to S.W.; sky black; signs of more bad weather.
Falmouth.—Bar. 30·14; therm. at noon 50°; weather showery.
Folkestone (9.5 p.m.).—Bar. 30·15; wind light; overcast, steady; smooth passage across the Channel.
Holyhead.—Bar. 30·160; wind N.W., fresh; misty; rather heavy sea.
Dover.—Bar. 30·8, rising; wind westerly, fresh; weather fine; sea moderate; steamboats had good passages across the Channel.

Cold and unsettled weather is likely to continue.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

WEDNESDAY.

The Speaker took the chair at a quarter-past twelve o'clock.

NEW WRIT.

On the motion of Mr. AKERS-DOUGLAS a new writ was issued for the election of a member for the Holborn Division of Finsbury, in the place of the late Colonel Duncan.

IRISH LAND PURCHASE.

The SOLICITOR-GENERAL for IRELAND formally moved the second reading of the Land Purchase (Ireland) Bill.

Mr. LABOUCHERE moved, as an amendment, that the bill be read a second time on that day six months. He protested against the precipitancy with which the bill was being hurried through the House. The Ministry were anxious apparently to force the measure through before the country had had an opportunity of considering it. He denied that the present Parliament had any right to introduce Irish land legislation at all. It was the Land Purchase Bill more than the Home Rule Bill which brought about the defeat of the Liberal party in 1886. He opposed that bill because he was persuaded that any scheme of Home Rule for Ireland ought to include the right of the Irish Parliament to deal with the question of the land as it pleased. The bill now before the House was unfair to the English taxpayers and injurious to Ireland, for the British Exchequer would have to bear the burden of creating a further gigantic system of absenteeism.

Mr. BRADLAUGH seconded the amendment. The introduction of this bill, he asserted, was nothing more nor less than an attempt by her Majesty's Government to avoid the propounding of any real scheme for the settlement of the land difficulty in Ireland.

Mr. HOWORTH welcomed the votes of hon. members opposite in favour of the bill, but the acceptance of their arguments would land the Tory party in great difficulty. In the creation of a peasant proprietary in Ireland, he hoped the Government would avoid the danger, which already prevailed in other countries, of the usurer, the mortgagee, and the moneylender becoming the principal landlord.

Mr. E. ROBERTSON said he voted for Mr. Gladstone's amendment on Tuesday, not because he approved of all its terms, but because it was the only opportunity then afforded him of voting against the bill. The House was now asked to advance five millions of British money for the relief of landlords and tenants of Ireland—not as an experiment, but as an instalment of a plan of policy which might in the end involve this country in an expenditure of fifty or even a hundred millions. It already went one fifth of the way of the land purchase proposals of 1886 which the Tory party opposed. (Hear, hear.) If this policy was to be pursued towards the landlords and tenants of Ireland, why not towards those of Scotland and England as well? (Hear, hear.) Then, were the labourers to be left altogether out of consideration, or were they also to receive assistance at the hands of the State? It was an ineradicable vice in the whole scheme that where it was economically safe it was politically unjust, not to say wicked.

Mr. C. DARLING supported the bill.

Sir W. PLOWDEN opposed and Colonel WARING supported the bill.

Mr. SHEEHY also spoke in favour of the bill, and denounced the patriotism of Irish landlords as the patriotism of L.S.D.

Mr. ADDISON advocated the granting of the five millions, which would go, not to the dupes of conspiracy, but to those who had detached themselves from it.

Sir G. TREVELYAN, in opposing the bill, said the landlords said they had a right to compensation by the losses inflicted upon them by the legislation of recent years. He asserted that they had no right to any compensation whatever. (Opposition cheers.) The rents of Irish landlords had been lowered in the land courts, and the reductions were about 20 per cent. all over Ireland. This reduction was made by judicial action, but the action of the law courts was simply the carrying out the result of economical causes, but in England and Scotland those economical causes were left to work their way. There were several counties in England where the real average reduction of rent had been 30 per cent. He did not know any estate in this country, except, perhaps, in the West of England, where there were small grazing farms, where the reduction had been less than 20 per cent. The reduction in England was a reduction on the gross rent. On the other hand the reductions in Ireland were very nearly on the net rental, and he did not hesitate to say that a reduction of 15 per cent. in England was equivalent to a reduction of 35 per cent. in Ireland. As guardians of the public purse and stewards of the nation he called upon hon. members not to support the present proposal.

On the motion of Mr. Parnell, the debate was adjourned until to-morrow (Thursday).

The House adjourned at twenty-five minutes to six o'clock.

HOLBORN ELECTION.

It is expected that, the writ having been issued yesterday for the election of a Parliamentary representative for Holborn, the nomination will take place next Saturday, and the polling on the following Wednesday or Thursday. In view of the nearness of the voting day both parties have been exerting themselves to the utmost. The Conservatives are well supplied with a large number of voluntary canvassers, who, notwithstanding the large majorities at the previous contests, are exerting every effort on behalf of their candidate, Mr. Gainsford Bruce, Q.C. This gentleman during yesterday visited many of the leading tradesmen and manufacturers in the constituency. Meetings will be held to-night at Bloomsbury Hall, and to-morrow night, at the Holborn Town Hall, in support of the candidature of Mr. Bruce, at both of which Sir Edward Clarke (Solicitor-General) will preside.

On the Liberal side there have also been many canvassers engaged, and the party are confident of being able to reduce the majority against them. To-night Earl Compton, the Liberal candidate, addresses a public meeting in the Holborn Town Hall, at which Professor Stuart, M.P., will preside, and Mr. Osborne Morgan, M.P., and Mr. J. Redmond, M.P., are expected to attend. Several open-air meetings are also being arranged.

At a large representative meeting of the London Central Committee in opposition to the van and wheel tax a very strong feeling was expressed at once to commence opposition against the Conservative candidate, but it was ultimately decided to interview Mr. Gainsford Bruce before taking definite action.

FRENCH PLAYS.

Once more E. Pailleron's elegant and charmingly-written comedy, "Le Monde où l'on s'ennuie," has been produced; once more it has attracted one of the best audiences of the season. It is right that it should be so, for the play is that of an artist; the witty dialogue that of a distinguished man of letters. Mdlle. Jane May repeats her delightful performance of Suzanne de Villiers, and is in many respects better, brighter, and more natural than her predecessor at the Théâtre Français. She has discarded all the stereotyped and mannered airs of the French *ingénue*, and acts with a spontaneity and wilfulness that are irresistible. M. Dalbert repeats his performance of Bellac, who is supposed to be a skit on the Parisian professor, M. Caro; Madame Ricquier is fairly successful as the Duchess, and so are Mdlle. Charlotte Raynard as Jeanne Raymond and Mdlle. Aimée Martial as the insinuating English girl, Lucy Watson. The company plays well together, and the comedy is quite worth seeing, being one of the most artistic produced in France for a considerable period. We still believe that it would succeed in England, for here, also, we have fatuous professors and smirking egotists like Bellac, who attract around the bright candle of their intellect pretty and silly moths in the shape of enthusiastic women.

ROYAL ALBERT HALL.

It cannot be said that the artistic interest of the concert given on Tuesday evening, under Mr. Ganz's direction, was very great, inasmuch as the programme contained nothing better than a miscellaneous selection of more or less hackneyed pieces. Yet the vast hall was crowded in every part, a sure proof that interest of some kind, and of no small potency, existed. The explanation, of course, is that Madame Adelina Patti took part in the proceedings. We do not for a moment underrate the popularity and attractiveness of Mrs. Patey, Miss Nettie Carpenter, Mr. Lloyd, and Mr. Foli, but the "bright particular star" was the songstress who stands at the head of all her class, and upon whom advancing time makes no obvious impression. It mattered little that Madame Patti sang the most familiar pieces in her repertory. That, indeed, with our curiously-constituted public, may have been an additional reason for putting in an appearance, and having the double pleasure of looking upon a well-known face and hearing well-known songs. Madame Patti's selections were "Qui la voce," "Quis est homo" (with Mrs. Patey), and "Let the bright seraphim." It will readily be understood that she was not let off with this meagre list. After the first she sang the waltz air from "Romeo and Juliet," the second was repeated, and the third was followed by "Home, Sweet Home," which gave rise to a scene of great enthusiasm. The other artists were conspicuously successful, and the orchestral works, conducted by Mr. Ganz, met with a cordial reception. Madame Patti will appear at a second concert, fixed for Dec. 11.

THE MISCARRIAGE OF JUSTICE.

At the Alnwick Police-court, yesterday, Charles Richardson and Geo. Edgell, of Alnwick, were brought up on remand on their own confessions of having committed the burglary at Edlingham Vicarage, on Feb. 7, 1879, for which the two men, Brannagan and Murphy, were sentenced to penal servitude for life, but liberated last Wednesday, on licence. Other charges of robbery and attempted murder by shooting were also preferred. Mr. Stevenson, of London, represented the Treasury, and Mr. John Strachan was for the defence. In the confessions of the two men, which were produced, each prisoner endeavoured to lay the blame of the burglary on the other. Miss Buckle and her father failed to identify the prisoners or the watch seal lately discovered. Nine other witnesses were examined, including Brannagan and Murphy. Edward Whinham, watchmaker, swore to purchasing the watch seal from Richardson. Mr. Strachan reserved his defence, and the prisoners were committed to the Northumberland Assizes.

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ALARMING OUTRAGE IN WHITECHAPEL.

Considerable alarm was caused in the East-end yesterday by the report that another murder had been perpetrated in Whitechapel. The rumour was founded upon the fact that an outrage had been committed upon a dissolute woman named Annie Farmer by an unknown assailant, under circumstances bearing strong similarity to those surrounding the previous terrible crimes lately enacted in the same district. Whether the author of the latest scare was also the murderer who up to the present has eluded justice is an open question; but the police, whilst observing their customary reticence as to details, freely expressed the opinion that the man who made the attack upon the woman Farmer yesterday is not the individual who has hitherto been the terror of the locality. They base this view upon the fact that the injuries inflicted by the man yesterday were of a superficial character, and although there were as many as five cuts in the woman's throat none of them indicated that they had been given by an expert hand, whilst they appeared to have been produced by the use of a blunt rather than a keen-edged knife. No weapon of any sort has, however, been found; and the person who is supposed to have murderously assaulted the woman has made good his escape. The scene of the outrage is in George-street, a short turning connecting Thrawl-street and Flower and Dean-street. On one side of this narrow thoroughfare there stand the rear blocks of the Charlotte de Rothschild Model Dwellings, whose frontage abuts upon Commercial-street. On the other side of George-street there is a row of mean-looking tenements of three floors, mostly occupied as common lodging-houses. Although from the exterior these places appear small, no less that thirty-two double beds are to be had at No. 19, besides thirty beds for single men, and sixteen more for single women. They are under the ordinary police supervision, and No. 19 is in charge of a deputy, assisted by a watchman. The latter, in this case, is a mulatto, known as "Darkie," and, according to his statement, a dark man and a woman came to the lodging-house at half-past six o'clock yesterday morning. The man paid 8d for a double bed, and the couple took possession of one of the partitioned-off boxes on the first floor, and nothing more was heard of them until between three and four hours later. What occurred in the interval was described by the woman herself to Ellen Marks, who earns her living as a tailoress, and this witness has made the following statement: "Between half-past nine o'clock and ten o'clock yesterday morning I was standing outside No. 18, George-street, with Mary Callaghan. My boots were off, as a woman was rebuttoning them for me, but otherwise I was fully dressed. We were talking to Frank Ruffle, who had been unloading coke from his cart. At that moment a man came downstairs at No. 19 and ran into the street. He had his collar up, and, making use of a common expression, he said, 'Look at what she has done.' There was blood on his mouth and a scratch, and his hands had blood upon them. He was about 5ft 7in in height, with a fair moustache, and of very sallow complexion. There was a scar of an abscess on the left side of the neck. I should call him a fair man. He wore a blue-black diagonal overcoat, speckled grey trousers, and a hard black felt hat. There was a white handkerchief round the throat. There was nothing in his hands. He seemed excited, and was panting, and as he went off it struck me that he was a sturdily-built man. I never spoke to him. Almost at the same minute I heard a woman scream on the stairs, 'He has cut my throat.' I ran in the direction of Thrawl-street, whither the man had gone, but could not see him, and I came back to No. 19, George-street, and went to the woman's room, which is on the first flight. The woman was sitting on the bed, dressed in a black body and petticoat. Blood was trickling down her neck. I said, 'What has he done?' and she replied, 'He has cut my throat.' I asked for a light, and a woman brought a candle, for the room was very dark. I then saw that there were five or six wounds in the neck, which seemed to me to be gaping and at least 3in long. I asked, 'What else has he done to you—has he done anything else?' and she said 'No.' Next I inquired, 'Do you know him?' and the woman answered 'I knew him about a twelvemonth ago. I drank in his company, and he made himself known to me this morning. He paid 8d for the bed and gave me 6d whilst in the room. I brought him in about 6.30, and when I was half-asleep I felt a knife cross my throat, which woke me up, and I screamed.' The woman was very excited. Then the police came, and the constable 256 H asked me to hold the light whilst he looked for the knife; he found none. The woman was removed in an ambulance to the Commercial-street Police-station, where her injuries were dressed by Dr. Phillips. I have been there and made a statement."

Mary Callaghan, of 7, Thrawl-street, who was in the company of Marks, confirms her story. She saw the man go by, and heard him make a remark. Subsequently she ran to the top of Flower and Dean-street, and asked a bystander if he had seen a man run that way, and he said "No." Afterwards she came back, and went into No. 19, George-street. Later in the day she saw the woman sitting down at Commercial-street Police-station, where questions were being asked her by the police. Callaghan says the woman, who was known to her as Annie Farmer, was respectably connected, and that drinking habits had brought her to her sad condition. She was to be seen nightly round the railings at Spitalfields Church, and used to sleep in odd corners whenever she failed to find some one to pay her for the price of a bed in a common lodging-house.

Frank Ruffle, the carman, who was unloading the coke, added: "About half-past nine o'clock I was outside Lewis's door, and had taken two sacks in. I had been speaking to these two girls—Marks and Callaghan—when I saw a man come out of No. 19, with his collar up, and take to running round the corner into Thrawl-street, and in the direction of Brick-lane. I saw that his mouth was bleeding, and he turned round and made use of a low expression, referring to some woman. About three minutes afterwards a man (Sullivan) came into the street from No. 19, and asked, 'Did you see a man running?' and added, 'He has cut a woman's throat.' The woman was on the stairs, and we ran into Thrawl-street, where I lost the man near the Frying Pan. I should say the man was thirty-five years of age. He was clean shaven, with the exception of a slight fair moustache. I have never seen him before. At the corner of Osborne-street I saw two policemen, and I said to them: 'Did you see a man run?' and they replied that they had not; and I then told them what the woman had said about having had her throat cut." Sullivan, the man spoken of by Ruffle, is a waterside labourer, and he lives in a front room on the first floor at No. 19, George-street. His statement is appended: "I went out early yesterday morning, but failing to get employment returned at twenty past nine o'clock with a young fellow named Wm. Kew. We went together into the kitchen, where I left my hook; and I then went to the door and stood on the step, so if the man had wanted to get by me he must have pushed me off the threshold. I saw no one, but I heard a woman scream for the watchman Darkie. I opened the door at the foot of the stairs, and saw a woman in her chemise and knitted petticoat, which was torn in front. Her throat was cut. I saw one slight cut only. The woman said, "Follow that man." I said, "What man?" and she added, "The man who has just gone out; he has cut my throat." I went outside and saw the cokeman (Ruffle), and spoke to him. We ran off, Ruffle about twenty or thirty yards in front. We went to the left into Thrawl-street, and I saw no stranger, but I noticed a man whom I knew. A woman near the Frying Pan public-house said he had gone round the corner into Brick-lane, but we could not find him. We gave information to two policemen outside the Bell public-house." Sullivan states, further, that the mulatto watchman told him that he had let the man and the woman in at six o'clock, but he had not taken particular notice of them. The house contained several "casual" beds, that is, those which are let to irregular comers, as distinguished from the regular frequenters of the place. He had never seen Farmer in the lodging-house before, but he had several times observed her in the streets, and very often drunk. While they were talking to the police at Osborne-place a gentleman came up and said, "I saw the man run down by the side of the Bell."

In the house little notice appears to have been taken of the woman's screams, as noisy outcries are of no uncommon occurrence in the neighbourhood. Philip Harris, one of the lodgers, stated that he heard the screams, and saw the woman come down the stairs in a fainting condition, and bleeding from a wound in her throat. He joined in the chase after the man, who he thinks was about 5ft 6in in height, of middle age, and had a thick black moustache, and who wore a long tweed overcoat of a rough blue material, and a hard felt hat. This witness also asserts—and the statement is confirmed by other persons—that the man had a scar on the left hand side of his throat.

Esther Hall says: I lodge at No. 19, George-street, and sleep in the basement of the house. I was awoke this morning by a man, who told me a murder had been committed. I ran upstairs and saw a woman lying down covered with blood. The deputy put a piece of rag round her throat, and I said, "Are you able to dress yourself?" She said she was not, so I dressed her. I then inquired, "Do you know the man?" She replied, "Yes; I was with him about twelve months ago, and he illused me then." Farmer said she undressed when she went to bed this morning, but the man did not; and added that the man had a black moustache, and wore dark clothes and a hard felt hat, and that she thought he was a saddler. Farmer also told me that the man made her drunk before he brought her to the house.

Sarah Turner, who was standing at her door in Thrawl-street at the time of the occurrence, stated that she saw a man running in the direction of Brick-lane, followed by three or four others. She described him as a short, thick fellow, 5ft 4in high. She could not see if he had a moustache, as he was holding his hand up to his mouth. One witness alleged that he stopped the man as he was making his escape from the house, but that he shook him off, striking him with a whip which he held in his hand. Several other persons who were present gave particulars of the man, corroborating in almost every detail the account of his appearance given by the woman herself, viz.: age, 30; height, 5ft 6in; fair moustache; wearing a black diagonal coat and a hard felt hat.

Farmer is believed to be married, but Farmer is understood to be her maiden name. Her age is thirty. She belongs to the "unfortunate" class, and is known in the neighbourhood under various nicknames, such as "Dark Sarah," "Laughing Liz," and "Singing Liz," the last because she formerly obtained a livelihood by singing in the streets. She is said to be the wife of a respectable tradesman in business near the City-road, who, in consequence of her dissipated habits, had separated from her, but allowed her ten shillings a week. The alimony had lately, it is stated, been stopped on account of the woman's course of life. Farmer has three children at school, supported by the father, and is a fairly well-educated woman. When examined at the police-station she was evidently recovering from the effects of drink. For some time Commercial-street Police-station was closed to all inquiries, and although the condition of the woman does not warrant her removal to a hospital, or even detention under medical care, the police have undertaken the charge of her for the present, and they do not disclose her whereabouts. During the day George-street was thronged with a crowd, and two policemen guarded the door of the lodging-house.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

QUEEN'S BENCH DIVISION, Nov. 21.

(Before Mr. Baron Huddleston and a Special Jury.)

WEST V. JONES.

In this case the plaintiffs, a fireman, and his wife, sued the defendant, the manager of a Convalescent Home at Sandgate in connection with London Missions, to recover damages for the false imprisonment of Mrs. West, and also for slander.

The plaintiffs' case was that Mrs. West was walking along the sands at Sandgate with her sister, Mrs. Perry, the wife of a photographer at Sandgate, when she picked up a child's whip. She carried it a little distance, and then threw it on the sands. Upon her return, as the whip was still there, she picked it up, and gave it to her child in the perambulator. The defendant afterwards came up and accused them of stealing the whip, the value of which was 1s. Afterwards he came to Mrs. Perry's house and gave plaintiff and her sister into custody. They walked in front of the constable to the police-station, where the charge was refused by the inspector.

The defendant's case was that when plaintiff and her sister were first questioned about the whip, they said they had thrown it on the sands. Doubting this statement, he lifted the apron of the perambulator, where he found the whip, which plaintiff and her sister said belonged to them.

Mr. Kemp, Q.C., and Mr. Garnet Man appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Waddy, Q.C., and Mr. Scott for the defendant.

The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff, with damages £100 for the false imprisonment, and £100 damages for the slander, which was to the effect that Mrs. West had taken the whip.

The verdict was received with applause in court, which was immediately suppressed.

His lordship gave judgment, and declined to stay execution.

(Before Mr. Justice Denman and a Special Jury.)

SANDER V. THE DUCHESS OF MONTROSE.

This was an action to recover £1,730 6s 4d for orchids supplied, and for work done in connection with a conservatory belonging to the Duchess of Montrose.

Mr. R. T. Reid, Q.C., and Mr. W. Graham were for the plaintiff; and Mr. Philbrick, Q.C., and Mr. S. Lynch appeared for the Duchess.

Mr. Reid, in opening the case for the plaintiff, said that he carried on business at St. Albans as an orchid grower. The Duchess of Montrose had a place called Sefton Lodge, at or near Newmarket, and at the beginning of 1887 or the end of 1886, she was desirous of embellishing this house. Accordingly, she had a large conservatory constructed. It was divided into three parts; the central part had a dome, and was intended for a palm house, and there were two other compartments. The conservatory was constructed by a firm at Birmingham, but the place did not give satisfaction to the Duchess, and she made some complaints to the plaintiff. All he did in connection with the house itself was to give advice and assistance gratuitously to the Duchess as to the work to be done. She arranged with him that he should supply the central house with a rockery; and that there should be a lake and also fountains. The central dome was the first part of the building to be embellished with the rockery, with palms, and with other things. Unfortunately, there was no contract as to price, and therefore it would be necessary to call witnesses as to the value of the work done. The plaintiff sent in his account with respect to it, and it amounted to £554; but there was a small mistake which arose from the plaintiff's bookkeeper not being at that time in good health, £16 16s having been included in that account which should not have been included, and that sum would have to be deducted. On the other hand, and for the same reason, the £554 by no means included the whole outlay to which the plaintiff had been put. There were two wings to the conservatory, one of which the Duchess had filled with geraniums and other plants, and for the decoration of the other wing she contracted with the plaintiff that he should supply 1,000 orchids at one guinea each. The learned counsel said that he believed that this was a very moderate figure indeed, for sometimes one plant fetched as much as £40, £50, and £100. The Duchess left it to Mr. Sander to provide 1,000 orchids for 1,000 guineas, according to his judgment, the object being to get plants that would bloom when certain Newmarket races were to be run at the beginning of July. Mr. Sander did his best to execute this order, and to have the plants sent in in June. He heard of no complaint until later on, and, indeed, the Duchess expressed great satisfaction when the 1,000 orchids had been placed in one of these side houses. She communicated with the foreman of the plaintiff, but said that she would like some more colours, many of them being white, and necessarily so, because those would be the plants that would be in blossom at the time required. She also told the foreman that Mr. Sander was to send some more orchids with colour to an amount not to exceed 200 guineas in value. He, in fact, sent down £126 worth of coloured orchids, for even from his large collection he could not supply more than that quantity of coloured specimens that would bloom at the time required. In July he sent in an invoice for furnishing the conservatory—that was the central part of it—and the amount was £554. This was followed by another invoice charging the Duchess £1,050 for the 1,000 orchids, and with £126 for the later parcel of orchids. No letter was received from her Grace at that time, but on July 18 the plaintiff wrote sending an invoice for the total amount of £1,730, of which he said a large proportion had been expended in labour and materials; and thus being money out of pocket he asked for £500 upon account. Soon afterwards the Duchess said that she had asked her clerk to write and explain to the plaintiff that the arrangement was that he should fill the orchid houses for £1,000, that he had stated the same to the Duke of Marlborough, and that the money was to be supplied for furnishing both houses. It was added that the Duke of Marlborough and the Duchess of Montrose agreed that the plaintiff had not fulfilled the conditions of the agreement, and that he could take back all the white unless he adhered to the understanding between them, and with the Duke of Marlborough, that there should be coloured orchids. The learned counsel added that no doubt the plaintiff had had conversations with the Duke of Marlborough, but the Duke was perfectly aware that the agreement was to supply 1,000 plants for 1,000 guineas, and that Mr. Sander was not to furnish the two houses for £1,000. To this communication the plaintiff answered that her Grace had ordered of him 1,000 orchids at £1 1s each, that he had spoken to the Duke of Marlborough several times about the matter, and that he fully agreed with the plaintiff that it would be best to advise her Grace to have 1,000 plants at the price named, and that he had supplied her with plants which were worth much more. He added that he would gladly refer the matter to the Duke of Marlborough, and abide by his decision, feeling that he had done his very best for her Grace; but in the meantime he should be glad to have a cheque for £500. This money was not forwarded, and in February of this year the plaintiff was reluctantly obliged to issue a writ, and subsequently there was a order that upon payment of £700 her Grace should have leave to defend the action. Of course, it was not pleasant for a person in the position of Mr. Sander to bring this action, because he looked to derive advantage from having supplied the Duchess; but, under the circumstances, he had no alternative.

Mr. Sander, the plaintiff, was examined in support of the statement of his counsel. He said that the orchid house which he furnished was 70ft long. He did not agree with the Duke of Marlborough that he should supply both the orchid houses for £1,000.

In cross-examination he said that none of those plants supplied to her Grace were what was technically known as "bulbs," they were established plants. The work he did in the conservatory and the decorations and the plants were all liked at the time. This being nearly the first transaction that he had with her Grace, the Duke of Marlborough said that he hoped that her Grace would be a customer, and a good customer, and he also said that it would be quite a "new market" for him. (Laughter.)

Re-examined: The things were to be supplied by a certain time, because the Prince of Wales was going down to Newmarket.

Mr. James Collins said that he was sent by the plaintiff to Newmarket to arrange the orchids in the house. They were worth £1,000, and a great deal more. Her Grace said that she was delighted with them, and that it was simply beautiful. She added that there was too much white, and asked that she might have more dark colour. She said that the Prince of Wales dined with them there on Thursday, and asked, "Do you think you can go back to St. Alban's and return in time for that?" He replied, "Yes, I can," and asked, "What would you like?" She answered, "I leave it entirely in your hands. You may go to £200. You see what I want in colour." She said that she was delighted with the palmhouse and its contents, and with the orchids. Witness asked, "May I give that message to my employer, as it is the first big job that I have done for him away from home," and her Grace said, "Certainly," and he did so. He selected the coloured flowers that he thought necessary, and he went off with them himself. £126 was rather under than over their value. The Duchess said that she thought that the colour was a great improvement, and she was highly pleased with the orchids.

Mr. Coningsby, the foreman of the plaintiff's orchid houses, said that the plaintiff told him to pick out 1,000 orchids for the value of 1,000 guineas, and he was very careful in selecting them. There was not a single plant in the 1,000 that was worth less than a guinea.

Several experts were examined, and stated that, in their opinion, the prices charged for the work done and for the orchids supplied was fair, and, indeed, lower than usual.

Upon the conclusion of the evidence for the plaintiff, the further hearing of the case was adjourned.

BANKRUPTCY COURT, Nov. 21.

(Before Mr. Registrar Giffard.)

Re Sir C. Claude de Crespigny, Bart.—This was a sitting for public examination. The receiving order was made on the 9th inst. on the petition of a creditor. The bankrupt was described as of Pall-mall, and also of Champion Lodge, Maldon, and Southsea. The bankrupt did not attend, and Mr. Aldrich, the official solicitor, stated that he had not filed any accounts. In answer to the Registrar, Mr. Walker, who appeared for several creditors, said that he believed the liabilities amounted to about £14,000. The bankrupt was understood to have a private income of £3,000 a year; but he appeared to have considerably exceeded that, and to have contracted debts with all sorts of persons. It appeared from McCall's Calendar, which he held in his hand, that Sir Claude had been running seven or eight horses during the past year.—The Registrar remarked that horse-racing was not an offence under the Act.—Mr. Walker replied that it might, nevertheless, be evidence of extravagant living. The inference was that the bankrupt had not been successful in his pastime, and wished to shift his losses to the shoulders of his creditors. He had hitherto entirely disregarded the proceedings, and practically said to his creditors, "I am Sir Claude de Crespigny. (Laughter.) Do your worst. I snap my fingers at the whole business."—The Registrar: Have you any evidence that Sir Claude has addressed his creditors in this strain, or are you merely interpreting what you suppose to be the workings of his mind? (Laughter.)—Mr. Walker: I am interpreting the debtor's conduct, which, I submit, speaks for itself.—The Registrar intimated that, before considering the question of issuing a warrant to secure the bankrupt's attendance, he must be satisfied that he had been personally served with the notices.—A solicitor remarked that it was a matter of "common knowledge" in the whole county of Essex that the bankrupt did not intend to put in an appearance.—The Registrar replied that unfortunately the common knowledge of the county of Essex was not legal evidence.—In answer to the Official Solicitor, Mr. Long, who appeared for the debtor, said that he had that morning received a letter from his client, but he was not prepared to give his address. He believed, however, that Sir Claude had not received any formal notice of the bankruptcy proceedings from beginning to end.—After some further discussion, his honour adjourned the examination to Jan. 16 next, to enable the debtor to be personally served with the requisite notice.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT, Nov. 21.

(Before Mr. Justice Hawkins.)

Important Betting Decision.—*Henry William Preedy*, 39, agent; *Levy Love*, 30, clerk; *Henry Ernest Sexton*, 24, billiard marker; and *William Henry James*, 27, clerk, against whom a conviction was recorded last August for "using the Three Compasses public-house for the purpose of betting on certain racehorses," surrendered to their recognisances in order to receive sentence.—The Three Compasses is a hostelry in Dalston-lane, Hackney, and it was undisputed that in May last the accused were there for the purposes of betting, the business being conducted on the "silent system," by means of slips of paper passing between the backers and the bookmakers. When the case was heard on Aug. 4 Mr. Geoghegan, who appeared for the prosecution, raised the point that as the accused were charged under the old Betting House Act, which was passed with the view of putting down regular gambling houses, the conviction could not be good, as the Three Compasses was not a house of that description, and therefore did not come within the purview of the Act. Several other cases before the magistrates were dependent upon this, and Mr. Justice Hawkins considered the point of such importance that he reserved judgment until he had time fully to consider it. He now gave his decision at great length, holding that the conviction was good. The Act was designed to put down the systematic carrying on of betting, and it was not necessary that the place where the betting takes place should be a particular room, or that it should be announced in any particular manner. There was no doubt that the defendants did use the bar of this public-house for betting and were therefore liable. In the present case he was not concerned with the landlord of the place for allowing this to be done. The defendants were liable to a fine of £100 each, and he wished it to be understood that the sentence he was about to pass was not to be considered by the magistrates as a limit should similar cases come before them. Sexton and Preedy, the bookmakers, were fined £5 for each day they offended. This meant £25 for Sexton, and £20 for Preedy, with the alternative of six weeks' imprisonment. Love and James, who were clerks to the principals, were fined £8 each, with the alternative of a month in prison.—Mr. Geoghegan asked that the defendants should be allowed time to pay.—Mr. Justice Hawkins: Certainly.—Mr. Poland: Say until to-morrow.—Mr. Geoghegan: Oh, longer than that. Too much money has gone to France to pay up so soon. The "bookies" have had a very bad time of it lately. (Laughter.) Let it be until the next sessions.—Mr. Justice Hawkins: Certainly.—The defendants were accordingly allowed out on their own recognisances of £50 each until next sessions, when the fines must be paid.

(Before the Recorder.)

Fraud.—*Harry Pearce*, 29, employed in the office of a paper called the *Sporting Clipper*, was found guilty of misappropriating several small sums of money belonging to his employers.—The jury recommended him to mercy on account of the circumstances of the case and of his offer to make reparation.—Sentence of four months' hard labour was passed.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

WESTMINSTER.—**The Alleged Theatrical Swindle.**—*Charles Ward*, described as a comedian, of Harrison-street, Gray's Inn-road, attended to a summons before Mr. D'Eyncourt, charging him with conspiring with one Thos. Terry, under remand, to obtain money by false pretences and fraud. Owing to the non-attendance of the accused at the time fixed for the hearing of the summons, informations were taken for the issue of a warrant, but shortly before the closing hour—five o'clock—Mr. Ward was fetched by his solicitor, Mr. Rickards, who then assured the Court that his client's absence had been unintentional, and was due to a misunderstanding for which he (Mr. Rickards) was responsible.—The evidence of Mr. W. H. O'Reilly, the prosecutor, taken as against Terry, was read over, to form part of the deposition against Ward.—Mr. Edwd. O'Connor Terry, of Terry's Theatre, Strand, deposed that he had read the information of Mr. O'Reilly, taken on the 17th inst., against Edward, or Thomas Edward, Terry and Charles Ward on a charge of conspiracy. He knew nothing of the person styling himself Edward Terry, but had had a large correspondence placed in his hands, purporting to be written by him, which contained requirements not in accordance with the rules of the theatrical profession. He never knew of a person strange to the stage being offered £2 a week from the signing of an agreement for a touring company. When various members of a company were engaged, it was usual for them to rehearse together. Roderigo, in "Othello," was one of the leading parts, and would certainly not be entrusted to an inexperienced hand. Witness was largely acquainted with London theatres, and he did not know Mr. Charles Ward as "an eminent tragedian." He had made inquiries, and could find no such touring company as "E. Terry's," or "Terry and Ward's." Further, he would say that he never knew an honest theatrical company to be conducted on the lines which it was said the defendants followed.—Mr. Richards intimated that at that late hour he would not start the cross-examination of Mr. Terry, and he would only point out that Mr. O'Reilly's evidence went to show that he received tuition from Ward.—Mr. D'Eyncourt remarked that there might be a weakness about the case against Ward as it stood, but the police alleged other frauds.—After some further evidence Mr. D'Eyncourt remanded the defendant until to-day, stating that he should require one good bail for his appearance, with notice to the police.

WORSHIP-STREET.—**A Sporting Transaction.**—*Augustus Buckinham*, landlord of the King's Arms, Hoxton-street, Hoxton, appeared to a summons charging him with having committed wilful and corrupt perjury in certain proceedings before this court.—Mr. J. T. Moss, solicitor, prosecuted; Mr. Maitland defending.—The perjury assigned was that the defendant swore, during the hearing of a charge made by him against two persons for disorderly conduct in his house, that a man named Pearl had not made a bet with him upon a mare called Ténébreuse for a certain race. The charge of disorderly conduct on the defendant's premises, it was explained, arose out of Pearl going to the defendant's house to demand his winnings, Ténébreuse having won the race.—Pearl, in giving his evidence, said that he made the bet for the Cesarewitch with the defendant in his house, across the bar, handing him a piece of paper with the writing, "Ténébreuse to win, s. p., Pearl, 10s," and handed him at the same time 10s. The horse won the next day, and witness the following day went to demand £5 10s. The defendant put him off. He went again in the evening, and then defendant said he would not give him a farthing of it, as he (witness) had given into custody a man who was a friend of his (defendant's), and he meant to defend that man and spend the £5 10s in doing it. Witness went again with a man named Preston to try and get it, and then there was a bother, and witness and Preston were charged.—By the Magistrate (Mr. Montagu Williams, Q.C.): "S.p." meant "starting price." The £5 10s he claimed was 10 to 1, which was the starting price, and his 10s deposit.—Mr. Maitland cross-examined as to the date of the bet being made, the witness having stated that he made the bet on Tuesday, Oct. 9, and that the race was run on Wednesday, the 10th. This Mr. Maitland showed, by the production of a daily newspaper, was a mistake, and the magistrate remarked that it was a matter of common knowledge that the Cesarewitch was run on a Tuesday.—Robert Preston, builder, of Mortimer-terrace, Kingsland, said that he gave Pearl the 10s to "put on" with Buckinham, and when he learned that the money could not be got he told the defendant that it was his money, and the accused replied, "All right, Bob, if it's your money come down to-day and I'll settle." That conversation took place outside the Dalston Police-court on the day the charge made by Pearl against a man named Arnold was heard.—After some observations Mr. Moss said he would rely on the above evidence and formal proof of the defendant's evidence at this court.—This was supplied by the production of the sworn notes by Mr. Oliver Wheeler (second clerk of the court).—The hearing was then adjourned, the defendant's recognisances being taken for his appearance next week.

THAMES.—**Hard on the Poor.**—Before the School Board cases down for hearing came on Mr. Saunders called the attention of Mr. Mather, the superintendent of the School Board visitors, to the number of summonses. There were forty-eight that day and as many as thirty-five or thirty-six on Thursday. Before the Dalston Police-court was established Worship-street had a great deal of business to attend to. In consequence of that all the School Board summonses that should be taken there were transferred to the Thames Court. Since the Dalston Court was established Worship-street had been relieved, and they ought to take the overburden placed on this court. It was a great injustice to poor people, who had to come a distance of three or four miles to have their cases heard, although they should properly be heard almost at their own doors. It was a very serious hardship, and ought to be remedied. Mr. Mather said he would represent his worship's remarks to his Board.

An important addition has been made to the fleet of the Peninsular and Oriental Company. The Peninsular, one of the two new mail steamers building at the yards of Messrs. Caird and Co., at Greenock, made her trial yesterday, and developed a very satisfactory rate of speed. This fine vessel, with her sister ship, the Oriental, is well fitted to maintain the high reputation of the company. She is 410ft. long and 45ft. beam, with a gross register tonnage of 5,000 tons, and is intended to accommodate 155 first and fifty second saloon passengers. Whether on deck or below there is no lack of the latest improvements, and the safety as well as the luxurious comfort of the passengers has been well studied. This fine specimen of naval architecture is destined to reinforce the company's India and China mail service, and her first voyage will be to Bombay direct, leaving London on the 7th proximo.

Cheap Fares for the Working Classes.—At a meeting of the London Working Men's Association, held yesterday at Mitre-court, Temple (Mr. George Potter, president, in the chair), Mr. F. W. Lind reported that the outcome of the two deputations that had waited upon the North Metropolitan Tramway Company was that the directors had kindly made arrangements to start the following penny fares from the 1st of next month: On the Stratford line, from Aldgate to Mile-end-gate, Mile-end-gate to Burdett-road, Burdett-road to Bow Bridge, Bow Bridge to Stratford. On the cars running from Aldgate to Bethnal-green the penny fares would be: Aldgate to Mile-end, the London Hospital to Bethnal-green, Bethnal-green to Earl-street, Hackney. The fares on all cars running from Moorgate-street to the Angel at Islington would also be reduced to one penny, and on the route from Moorgate-street to Dalston, a penny would be charged from Moorgate-street to Shoreditch Church, and from Shoreditch Church to Dalston. Mr. F. Wigniton, on behalf of the industrial classes of the East-end, moved the following resolution: "That the best thanks of the Association be given to the directors of the North Metropolitan Tramway Company for the concessions they have made to the travelling public in general, but especially to the working men and women of the East and Northern districts of London." Mr. F. Whetstone (member of the Islington Vestry), in seconding the motion, expressed the thanks of the Association to Mr. Richardson (chairman) and Mr. Adamson (the secretary of the company), for the courteous way in which they had received the deputations. Several other delegates from working men's associations in the East-end of London having spoken in support of the resolution, it was carried unanimously.

New Rupture Appliances.—Sufferers may save themselves a lifetime of discomfort and suffering by being properly fitted with a perfect appliance. Examination free by a most experienced and skilful surgeon, at the Electropathic and Zander Institute, 52, Oxford-street, London, W. (corner of Rathbone-place). Note only address, and call to-day if possible. Copies of testimonials and pamphlet free.—[Advertisement.]

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TERRIFIC EXPLOSION AT BRISTOL.

Our Bristol correspondent telegraphs: "A Jersey ketch named the United, with three hundred barrels of naphtha for Thames Haven, below Gravesend, was in the Bathurst Basin, moored to the quay under the General Hospital, this morning, when her highly inflammable cargo exploded. Her captain, Mr. Hy. Cartwright, his brother, Joseph Cartwright, acting as mate, and Edward Menier, able seaman, were on her deck at the time, and the cabin boy, Devereux, in the forecastle. Menier, the able seaman, was blown into the water and escaped with a compound fracture of the leg, but the other three met with instant death in the huge volume of flames which shot up from the vessel and threatened the surrounding buildings. Every window in the hospital flanking the basin was shattered, but though the patients, in addition to the panic which prevailed, were thus exposed to the inclement weather, they only suffered from the terrible shock, and no physical injuries were reported among them. Many volunteers assisted in their removal to the back of the building. The fire resisted every effort to extinguish it, and the whole of the cargo simply burnt itself out, the naphtha barrels, enveloped in flames, floating about the water to the danger of the shipping. Fortunately there were but few vessels in the basin at the time. It is estimated that in the hospital alone 4,000ft of glass were shattered, and large bodies of workmen were engaged in the endeavour to replace the glass, so as to shelter the patients for the night. The vessel was flying the red flag, and it is said that, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Parliament, there was no fire on board; but it is believed that one of the unfortunate men on board must have lighted a match, which came in contact with the vapour of the oil. Great astonishment is expressed at the ketch being permitted to load such a highly dangerous cargo in the harbour among the shipping."

SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE.

OFFICIAL CAUSE LIST FOR TO-DAY.

COURT OF APPEAL.

Appeal Court 1.—Before the Master of the Rolls, Lord Justice Fry, and Lord Justice Lopes, at 10½.—Appeal from the Queen's Bench Division.—Interlocutory list: (18) Gouraud v Fitzgerald and others, appeal of defendants from Mr. Baron Pollock and Mr. Justice Manisty setting aside order in Chambers for delivery of particulars, part heard, Nov. 21, by Master of Rolls and Lord Justice Lopes. Appeals from the Queen's Bench Division—Final list: Wolverhampton District Registry, M'Dermott v Clarkson, appeal of defendant, John Clarkson, from judgment of Mr. Justice A. L. Smith at trial without a jury at Birmingham—Flint v Barnard, appeal of defendant from judgment of Mr. Justice Stephen at trial without a jury in Middlesex—Foster v Taylor, appeal of defendant from judgment of Mr. Baron Pollock at trial at Nottingham—Beckett v Stiles, appeal of defendant from judgment of Mr. Justice Hawkins to cost of claim and counter-claim at trial in Middlesex—(34) Morgan v Hart, appeal of plaintiff from judgment of Mr. Justice A. L. Smith at trial without a jury at Birmingham.

Appeal Court 2.—Before Lord Justice Cotton, Lord Justice Lindley, and Lord Justice Bowen, at 10½.—Appeal from the Chancery Division.—Separate interlocutory list: The National Provincial Bank of England (Limited) v Marshall, appeal of defendant from order of Mr. Justice Butt, dated Sept. 18, sitting as Vacation Judge for Mr. Justice Kay, restraining breach of agreement not to accept employment within 20 miles of Cardiff, part heard. Appeals from the Chancery Division.—General list: Farrar v Farrars (Limited), appeal of plaintiffs from judgment of Mr. Justice Chitty, dated March 27, 1888, part heard—Divorce, Anna E. M. Chambers (petitioner) v W. J. Chambers (respondent), appeal of petitioner from decree of Mr. Justice Butt, limited to judicial separation without dissolution, dated March 7 and July 13, 1888—(26) the London Taverns Company (Limited) v Worley, appeal of defendant from judgment of Mr. Justice Kekewich, dated July 21, 1887.

Special Notices.—Chancery final appeals will be continued in Appeal Court 2 to-morrow (Friday), and on Saturday and Monday and Tuesday next. The following are the next Chancery final appeals to come into the paper after to-day's list: Nos. 31, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40. Edison, &c., Company v Holland (No. 50) stands over till Saturday Dec. 1. In re Gaulard and Gibbs's Patent (No. 32) is not to be taken this week. Bankruptcy and Queen's Bench final appeals will be taken in Appeal Court 1 to-morrow (Friday). No sitting on Saturday. Queen's Bench final appeals will be continued in Appeal Court 1 on Monday and Tuesday next. The following are the next Queen's Bench final appeals to come into the paper after to-day's list: Nos. 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

CHANCERY DIVISION.

Chancery Court 2.—Before Mr. Justice North, at 10½.—Causes for trial.—With witnesses: MacCulla v Fenn, action, part heard—Presland v Bingham, action—Clarke v Birley, action. Adjournment from Chambers, Room 712, at 1.—G to N.—Without counsel: In re Grove and Grove v Clutow—In re Gill and Burgess v Gill. With counsel: Earl of Ilchester v Raishley—In re Halifax Loan, Discount, and Deposit Company (Limited)—Hampage v Chester's Brewery Company (Limited).

Lord Chancellor's Court.—Before Mr. Justice Stirling, at 10½.—Dodd v Brown, two motions, by order, to private part heard. Further considerations: Newby v Richmond, and Richmond v Newby, further consideration and summons—In re Brocklehurst and Ryan v Caproni, further consideration—In re T. Key and Key v Key, further consideration—In re Bushby and Johnstone v Bushby, further consideration—In re Norris and Norris v Snell, further consideration—In re Green and Haldock v Green, further consideration and summons.

Chancery Court 1.—Before Mr. Justice Kay, at 10½.—Causes for trial: Cauldwell v Eyre, action, witnesses, by order—Tomson v Wilson, action, witnesses—Berthorne v Dobbs, action, witnesses—Wood v Morris, action, witnesses.

Chancery Court 3.—Before Mr. Justice Chitty, at 10½.—Causes for trial, with witnesses: Grosvenor v Sutton, Surrey, Local Board, action, to be mentioned—Cattley v Collins, action, part heard—In re Sutherst, deceased, and Sutherst v Pierce, action—In re Bushell, and Smith v Bull, adjourned summons, settled, to be mentioned—United Telephone Company v Paterson, action—In re Dewar, deceased, and Dewar v Torrance, action.

Chancery Court 4.—Before Mr. Justice Kekewich, at 10½.—Causes for trial with witnesses: Thomson v Batty, action, part heard.

Official Referees.

No. 3, Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane.—Before Mr. Hemming, Q.C., at 10½: Ollard v Ollard. At 11: Smith v Dorking District Local Board, part heard.

Queen's Bench Division.

Queen's Bench Court 2.—Before Mr. Justice Denman, at 10½.—Special juries: Sander v Duchess of Montrose, part heard—Lucas v Walker, Martineau, and Co.—(421) Vocabies and others v Fitt and others.

Queen's Bench Court 4.—Before Mr. Baron Huddleston, at 10½.—Special juries: Sangry v London Street Tram Company, part heard—Hatton v Smith—(866) Bascones v London, Chatham, and Dover Railway Company.

Queen's Bench Court 5.—Before Mr. Justice Grantham, at 10½.—Common juries: Musgrove v Cullen—Clifford v Marshall—Claydon v Fairweigh—Reeve v Bird—(133) Halberg v Rose and others.

Lord Chief Justice's Court (Divisional Court).—Before the Lord Chief Justice of England and Mr. Justice Manisty, at 10½.—Ex parte motions, generally. Crown paper: The Queen v Southport, &c., Railway Company—Hoppett v Goodfellow—King v London Improved Cab Company—Geider v Wilby and another reinstated—Heaven v Pocock—Guyer v the Queen on prosecution of Field Sports Protection Society—Church v Appleby; Brothers—Newell v Hemmingway—Mawson v Preedy—(66) Phillips and others v Davies.

Notices to Jurors.—The jurors summoned for 19th inst. for Queen's Bench Court 3 are now discharged. The special jurors summoned for the Lord Chief Justice's Court are required to attend in Queen's Bench Court 4 at 10.30. The common jurors for Queen's Bench Court 4 are required to attend in Queen's Bench Court 5 at 10.30. The jurors summoned for Queen's Bench Court 5 are not required until Monday next. Other jurors are required to attend to-day in the courts for which they are summoned.

Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division.

Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Court 2.—Before Mr. Justice Butt, at 10½.—Defended divorce causes: Boddy, otherwise Thomas, v Boddy, in camera—M'Clintock v M'Clintock and Thornhill, part heard—Thornton v Thornton—Crawford v Crawford—Beckett v Beckett and Eastly—Barrows v Barrows and Read—(34) Reily v Reily.

Bankruptcy.—At the Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's Inn-fields, before Mr. Registrar Hazlitt, in the First Court.—Applications: J. and W. J. M'Master, at 1. Discharge: J. H. Milligan, at 11—J. R. Oakley, at 11. Public examination: M. Levy, at 11—J. de A. Portugal, at 11—G. T. Riley, at 11½—F. Rivolta Bros., at 12.—Before Mr. Registrar Giffard, in the Second Court.—Public examination: W. Corti, at 11—E. Delmedy, at 11—A. Bird, at 11—S. Bertin, at 11½—E. H. Bedford, at 11½—E. Cuckney, at 11½.—Before Mr. Registrar Linklater, in Room 22.—Applications: E. Trimmis, at 11—R. Start, at 11. Petitions (3) at 11. Petitions (3), at 11½. Petitions (1), at 12. Petitions (2), at 12½. Petitions (2), at 2. To settle order: Sir R. Mansel, at 2.—Department of the Chief Official Receiver.—Meetings of Creditors.—At the Bankruptcy-buildings, Portugal-street.—First meeting: Wareham and Co., at 12. Second meeting: F. Phipps, at 2½.—At 33, Carey-street.—First meetings: E. Y. Jones, at 11—J. Smith, at 12.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

[From Lloyd's, Nov. 21, 1888.]

MAIL AND STEAMSHIP NEWS.

Aden, Nov. 21.—The Arcadia, from Bombay for Brindisi, Plymouth, and London, arrived with the homeward Indian mail.
Alexandria, Nov. 21.—The Malwa, from Shanghai, left for Marseilles and London.
Bordeaux, Nov. 19.—The India left for New York.
Barrow, Nov. 20.—The Norseman left for Liverpool.
Bristol, Nov. 21.—The Llandaff City arrived from New York.
Cadiz, Nov. 19.—The Italia left from New York.
Cooktown, Nov. 20.—The Lindula, from London for Brisbane, arrived.
Demerara, Nov. 18.—The Gitarbeidel left.
Dover, Nov. 21.—The Hesperia, for Japan, and the Pennland, from New York for Antwerp, passed.
Durban, Nov. 19.—The Clan Stuart left for Galle.
Funchal, Nov. 21.—The Olbers, from Buenos Ayres, arrived.
Glasgow, Nov. 20.—The Concordia, from Montreal, and the Circassia, from New York, arrived. The Clan Mackay left for Cape ports, via Liverpool.
Gravesend, Nov. 21.—The Chusan and the City of Khios, both from Calcutta, and the Moyune, from Japan, passed for Royal Albert Dock. The Teresa left yesterday for Brisbane. The Maryland left to-day for Baltimore, via Avonmouth Dock.
Halifax, Nov. 20.—The Circe arrived from Glasgow.
Hong Kong, Nov. 21.—The Agamemnon; and the Oopack, both from the Clyde; the Denbighshire, from London; and the Ajax, from Liverpool, arrived.
Jamaica, Nov. 19.—The Carib arrived from London.
Las Palmas, Nov. 21.—The Union Steamship Company's intermediate steamer Durban arrived from Cape Town at two a.m. to-day, and left for Southampton at noon.
Lisbon, Nov. 21.—The Cotopaxi arrived from Liverpool. The Araucania, from Chili, left.
Liverpool, Nov. 21.—The Samaria arrived from Boston.
Lizard, Nov. 21.—The Lydian Monarch, from New York for Hull, passed.
Madeira, Nov. 21.—The Kinsembo passed with mails and passengers for the West Coast of Africa.
Madras, Nov. 19.—The Clan Macintosh, from Calcutta, left for London.
Malta, Nov. 21.—The Glenlyon, from Manilla for London, passed.
Marseilles, Nov. 21.—The Ville de Belfort and the Pelho both arrived from Reunion.
Monte Video, Nov. 16.—The Zeta left for London. Nov. 20.—The Strathmore arrived.
New Orleans, Nov. 20.—The William Cliff arrived.
New York, Nov. 20.—The City of Dublin left for Norfolk, Va. Nov. 21.—The Eider, from Bremen, and the Egyptian Monarch, from London, arrived.
Old Head of Kinsale, Nov. 21.—The Architect, from New Orleans for Liverpool, passed.
Penang, Nov. 20.—The Schiehallion, from Maulmain, arrived. The Liguria, from Sydney for London; the Clan Murray, from the Clyde for Bombay; and the Conrad, from Amsterdam for Java, passed.
Plymouth, Nov. 21.—The Orizaba, from Australia, left for London.
Portland (Me.), Nov. 20.—The Polynesian arrived from Liverpool and Halifax.
Portsmouth, Nov. 20.—Her Majesty's ship Crocodile arrived from Bombay. Nov. 21.—Her Majesty's Indian troopship Euphrates left for Bombay.
Quebec, Nov. 20.—The Assyrian, from Montreal, left for London.
Queenstown, Nov. 20.—The Peruvian, from Baltimore for St. John's and Halifax, arrived, and left for Liverpool.
Sagres (dated Lisbon, Nov. 21).—The Assam, from Bombay, passed.
St. Catherine's Point, Nov. 21.—The Cardiganshire, from Japan for London, passed.
St. Vincent, Nov. 20.—The Gulf of Trinidad left for the West Coast of South America. The Cuvier, from River Plate, left for Liverpool.
Spithead, Nov. 20.—Her Majesty's ships Volage and Active left to-day for Barbadoes.
Suez Canal, Nov. 19.—The Priam, from China, left Port Said for London. Nov. 20.—The Sailor left Suez. Nov. 21.—The Pekin, from Calcutta for Marseilles, Plymouth, and London, left Port Said to-day. The City of London, from Calcutta for London, left Port Said yesterday. The Mount Tabor, from Calcutta; the Worsley Hall, from Bombay for Liverpool; the Amphitrite, from Hong Kong and Bombay for Trieste; the Clan Mackenzie, from Calcutta for London; the Hector, from Shanghai; and the Ehrenfels, from Hiogo for Genoa, arrived at Suez.
Teneriffe, Nov. 17.—The Gulf of Suez, from London and Antwerp, left for the West Coast of South America. Nov. 20.—The Umlaci, from London for Natal, arrived.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

Aden, Nov. 20.—The Kerbela, from London, left.
Boston (by cable).—The Buffalo arrived from Hull.
Brownhead, Nov. 21.—The Rossa, from West Point for Liverpool, passed.
Colombo, Nov. 20.—The Ganges arrived from London. Nov. 21.—The Valetta left. The Orient, from London for Australia, arrived.
Dover, Nov. 21.—The Federation, from New Orleans for Bremen, passed.
Gibraltar, Nov. 21.—The Queen Victoria, from London for Kurrachee, passed.
Gravesend, Nov. 21.—The Garth Castle left, and is appointed to leave Dartmouth at four p.m. on Friday with mails for Cape Colony and Natal.
King George's Sound, Nov. 21.—The Victoria, from London, arrived.
Liverpool, Nov. 21.—The Vega, from Calcutta, arrived to-day, not yesterday, as reported. The Sherbro, from Africa; the Cipero, from Savannah; the Cyprienne, from Galveston; the Peruvian, from Baltimore; the Caro Marth, from Wilmington; the Carlos, from the River Plate; and the Alice, from Montreal, arrived. The Cairngorm and the Germanic, both for New York; the British Prince, for Philadelphia; the City of Berlin, for New York; the Mendes Nunes, for Porto Rico; and the Anselm, for Para, left. The Electrician, for Calcutta, left to-day, not yesterday, as reported.
Madeira, Nov. 21.—The Union Steamship Company's Royal Mail steamer Spartan, which left Southampton 15th inst., and Lisbon 18th inst. with the outward Cape of Good Hope and Natal mails, arrived at nine a.m. to-day, and proceeded for Cape Town, via St. Helena, at one p.m.
New York, Nov. 21.—The Republic left for England. The City of New York also left.
Prawle Point, Nov. 21.—The Lydian Monarch, from New York for Hull; the Cabo Verde, from the West Coast of Africa; the Petaro, from Demerara; and the Avon (supposed), from the West Indies, passed.
Suez Canal, Nov. 21.—The Bohilla, from London for Calcutta, arrived at Port Said. The Irrawaddy, from the Clyde left Suez for Rangoon.

MISSING VESSEL.

The Renfrewshire (Off. No. 71,323), of Glasgow (Cummins, master), which sailed from Glasgow for Brisbane on May 19 last, with a general cargo, and was spoken on July 3, in lat. 17 S., long. 33 W., previously referred to as overdue, was to-day (Nov. 21) posted as missing.

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THIS EVENING, at 8.45, PRINCE KARL. Mr. Richard Mansfield, Mr. Burrows, Mr. Crompton, Mr. Franklin, Mr. Parry, Mr. Vivian, &c.; Madame Carlotta Leclercq, Miss Whitty, Miss Gadden, and Miss Beatrice Cameron. At 8, ALWAYS INTENDED.

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GAIETY THEATRE.
THIS EVENING, at 7.40, LOT FORTY-NINE. At 8.30, FAUST UP TO DATE. Miss Florence St. John, Misses Fanny Robina, Jenny M'Nulty, Lillian Price, F. Broughton, Maria Jones, Florence Levey, A. Young, E. Greville, M. Wilmot, M. Love; Messrs. E. J. Lonnen, H. Parker, C. Maude, Walter Lonnen, and George Stone.

STRAND THEATRE.
THIS EVENING, at 9, ATALANTA. Messrs. F. Wyatt, T. Squire, Norton, Lewis, Wensley, W. F. Hawtrey; Mesds. A. Stanley, Zerbini, Lancaster, Glover, G. Baring, Bennett, Leigh, S. Baring, M. Linden. At 8, A HIGHLAND LEGACY. Messrs. B. Thomas, F. Lyndal, Wyes, Edgemore, Wentworth; Misses S. Leigh, G. Zerbini.

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THIS EVENING, at 9, MAMMA. Mr. John Hare, Mr. C. Groves, Mr. E. Lewis, and Mr. Arthur Cecil; Miss Hughes, Miss Filippi, Miss Caldwell, Miss Brough, and Mrs. John Wood. At 8, COX AND BOX. Messrs. Deane Brand, W. Lugg, and Eric Lewis.

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THIS EVENING, at 9, UNCLES AND AUNTS. Messrs. W. S. Penley, T. G. Warren, W. Draycott, W. Wyes, W. Everard, W. Lestocq; Misses C. Grahame, Daly, Elton, Lee, Scarlett, Vane Featherston. At 8.10, BARBARA.

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Lessee, Mr. J. L. Toole.
THIS EVENING, at 8.15, PEPITA. Mesdames Wadman, Kate Cutler, Helen Kinnaird; Messrs. Horace Lingard, F. Darell, Walker Marnock, Frank Seymour, Lytton Grey, &c.

SAVOY THEATRE.
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THIS EVENING, at 8.15, THE YEOMEN OF THE GUARD; or, The Merryman and his Maid. Messrs. G. Grossmith, R. Temple, Denny, Shirley, Brownlow, and Pounds; Mesdames Ulmar, Bond, Hervey, and R. Brandram. At 7.25, MRS. JARRAMIE'S GENIE.

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THIS EVENING, at 8.15, NADGY. Miss Giulia Warwick, Miss Clara Graham, Miss Florence Melville, Miss Sallie Turner, and Mdlle. Vanoni; Mr. J. J. Dallas, Mr. Joseph Tapley, Mr. Alec Marsh, Mr. Leon Roche, and Mr. Arthur Roberts. At 7.30, QUITS.

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THIS EVENING, at 8.30, DOROTHY. Mesds. Marie Tempest, F. Perry, H. Coveney, F. Neville, and Amy Augarde; Messrs. Ben Davies, Furneaux Cook, Arthur Williams, J. Le Hay, S. King, and C. Hayden Coffin. 7.45, WARRANTED BURGLAR-PROOF.

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BRITANNIA THEATRE.
THIS EVENING, at 7, THE POINTSMAN. Misses O. Webb, S. Fane, B. D'Almaine, L. Howe, Morgan, Pettifer; Messrs. A. Syms, W. Steadman, J. B. Howe, E. Newbound, W. Gardiner, G. H. Bigwood, King-Bolton, J. Munro, Mons. Beaumont. Incidentals, Mr. E. Mosedale, Miss Lillie Napier. DEAF AS A POST.

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In the House of Commons yesterday a new writ was ordered for the Holborn Division of Finsbury, consequent on the death of Colonel Duncan. On the motion for the second reading of the Irish Land Purchase Bill Mr. Labouchere proposed, and Mr. Bradlaugh seconded, an amendment calling upon the House to reject the measure. A debate followed, which was eventually adjourned until to-day.

Her Imperial Majesty the Empress Frederick of Germany celebrated her forty-eighth birthday yesterday at Windsor Castle, where she received the congratulations of the Queen and the Royal family and of the German Ambassador. The Mayor and Corporation of Windsor presented an address.

Reference was made on the assembling of the Parnell Commission yesterday to the contempt of Court alleged against Mr. Edward Harrington, M.P., whose counsel, Mr. Reid, Q.C., now said he had advised his client, who, however, had not thought fit to adopt his views. Mr. Harrington himself declined to say more than that he accepted the responsibility for what was published in his paper; whereupon the President, after consultation with his colleagues, delivered the judgment of the Court, which was that Mr. Harrington must pay a fine of £500 to the Queen. Among the witnesses called was Mr. George Curtin, who, in cross-examination, stated that his father was a member of the League, and that there were no grounds for suggesting that that organisation had anything to do with the crime. Miss Norah Fitzmaurice gave a pathetic account of the murder of her father, who disregarded a notice from the Land League in March last year, was subsequently boycotted, and in January was shot while on his way to Listowel Fair. Lord Kenmare's agent gave evidence as to the occurrence of outrages after the establishment of branches of the League.

Considerable alarm was caused in the East-end yesterday by the rumour that another woman had been murdered in Whitechapel, but it soon proved that the report was greatly exaggerated. About half-past nine o'clock in the morning a dissolute woman, in a common lodging-house in George-street, called out that the man who had just left her had cut her throat. Five wounds were found upon her, and she was bleeding profusely, but no danger to her life is apprehended, and it has not even been considered necessary to remove her to a hospital. The supposed assailant made his escape.

Charles Richardson and George Edgell were brought up at the Alnwick Police-court yesterday, charged, on their own confession, with having committed the burglary and attempted murder at a Northumberland vicarage, for which two other men, recently released by direction of the Home Secretary, were nine years ago sentenced to penal servitude for life. The prisoners were committed for trial at the Assizes.

An action was commenced in the Queen's Bench Division yesterday, in which Mr. Sander, a florist, sought to recover £1,730 6s 4d from the Duchess of Montrose for orchids supplied and for work done in connection with her Grace's conservatory at Newmarket. Upon the conclusion of the plaintiff's evidence the further hearing of the case was adjourned.

Collingwood Hilton Fenwick was committed for trial from the Southwark Police-court yesterday for unlawfully wounding a young woman named Ellen Worsford.

After a very weak opening, caused by exaggerated reports of gold movements, the stock markets closed at a partial recovery. Home railways and Mexican (Vera Cruz) issues, however, receded, together with some of the American lines. Foreign Government bonds were also lower, the fall being most important in Argentine descriptions. Copper and diamond shares were dull. Consols fell 3-16 to ⅛ per cent. About £275,000 in gold was withdrawn from the Bank, chiefly for South America.

IT is a satire upon civilisation and religion keener than any ever penned by RABELAIS, ARETINO, or VOLTAIRE, that the mere mention of disarmament in Europe provokes a smile of derision from all experienced statesmen. Our Vienna letter yesterday contained a paragraph illustrating this. It said: "The report that the Pope is about to propose a general disarmament meets with some little scepticism in Vienna. The Cardinal Secretary of State RAMPOLLA is said to be an ardent advocate of the idea; but the statesmen of the Vatican are mostly practical people, and are not accustomed to waste time on hopeless undertakings." That is all! Thus Christendom, represented by its highest political intelligences, hastens to dismiss the bare idea of laying aside those loads of warlike preparation which lie so heavily upon the industry and happiness of Europe, and make of every nation an armed and threatening camp. Even the diplomats of the Vatican, who are one and all ministers of the religion of peace, and are supposed to find their GROTIUS and PUFFENDORF in the New Testament, have too much credit for worldly wisdom to be regarded as meditating a proposal so ludicrously impossible as that the Christian Powers should come to some understanding which would enable them to reduce their armaments and to restore to peaceful labour and to the household the youth which is now annually passed through the mill of the parade-ground. Nor can we ourselves pretend for a moment to look upon the conception of a European concordat as within the range of practical politics. If the Pope has indeed speculated upon the subject, if he has had temporary yearnings towards this dream of a diplomatic millennium, we shall all agree that the amiable vision well befits his gentle personal character, and the majestic authority which he holds as Head of the Catholic Church. Yet there it stops. Europe can admire the benevolence of the Holy Father, and think his aspirations pious and suitable; but the drill-sergeant goes on with his work of training "food for powder," the arsenals do a roaring business, the communities are loaded with crushing taxes to raise ever fresh battalions, and the conscription continues to drag new batches of young citizens from the cottage and the shop to waste the first years of manhood in learning how to kill and be killed. Lord Salisbury lately told the House of Peers that the Continental Powers have now on foot an armed host of twelve millions of men. If we put the average possible earnings of these at a pound a week there is six hundred millions of productive toil lost to Europe each year; but we must add to this at least as much more for the cost imposed upon each country in equipment, food, and shelter for these myriads of troops, so that it is probably a modest calculation to say that the armed peace costs Christendom year by year fifteen hundred millions sterling in dead loss. During these years family life is broken up, marriages interdicted, and immorality enforced and fostered; while the evil war-spirit is fed by military pride and pomp, and every little difficulty on a frontier, or imagined affront, leads to a rattling of sabres and bayonets, and convulsive alarms which shake the exchanges and ruin financial confidence. So we go on nineteen centuries after the proclamation of a faith which all these nations more or less profess, teaching, but idly teaching, that "blessed are the peacemakers." The absurdity and inconsistency of the situation must become enhanced when we bear in mind that an immense majority in every nation desires nothing so little as war, and would joyfully vote to-morrow for any policy which would give them back their "blood taxes" and deliver the Continent from the constant terror of an explosion.

The situation possesses elements of a still more grotesque irony when we know, as Lord Salisbury also stated, that the earnest wish of sovereigns and statesmen all over Europe is to maintain peace and avoid conflicts. There may be some few recklessly-ambitious men who would fling society into the volcano of a prodigious struggle to glut a passion or crown a career; but those who have the most power and knowledge have also the deepest fear of any great collision between modern armies. What, then, is the cause of such a contradiction between the state of things on one side, and religion, policy, prudence, morality, and humanity on the other. The answer must be given in twofold form: unsolved problems of international life, and traditional jealousies and enmities between the peoples. It has been truly said that unsettled difficulties have no pity for the repose of nations, and of course it is upon these that international feuds are maintained. Yet war itself never brings a solution which could not have been arrived at beforehand by negotiation, unless, indeed, it annihilates or fatally weakens one of the combatants. If, then, the Pope, or any other high-minded enthusiast for universal disarmament, wished to be practical, the first step necessary for him would be to draw up a list of the main questions dividing Europe at the present day. Beyond doubt their mere enumeration would go a long way to illustrate why agreement is chimerical. The matter of the Temporal Power between the Quirinal and the Vatican—could Cardinal Rampolla and Signor Crispi arrange it over a flask of Chianti? Russia, which burns to reach the Mediterranean and the Indian Ocean—could she settle with Turkey, Austria, and England any scheme about the Bosphorus, the Balkan Peninsula, and Persia, letting alone Afghanistan, which would warrant a general forging of swords into sickles? Has the Holy Father, or anybody else, a proposal that would assuage the blood feud between Germany and France, and wipe away for ever the memory of Sedan and Metz? Could we ourselves, who are thoroughly peaceful in policy, and who wish to be friendly with all the world, be easily persuaded to reduce our Navy to a flotilla, and to take down the cannon that bristle at Gibraltar, at Malta, and a hundred other sea-washed batteries? We have lately seen how, even between two wholly kindred peoples, like the Americans and the British, an affair so comparatively slight and simple as the Fisheries Dispute could not be adjusted because of an impending election, the wire-pullers and caucus-mongers preferring to endanger the amity of one hundred millions of Anglo-Saxons rather than lose some rascally votes for their candidate. After that example, the Pope must be divinely hopeful if he expects much from mankind in its political and diplomatic aspect. Men in their individual nature appear mainly good and reasonable, but mobbed into a nation, and governed by those who study to please their lowest passions, they are but "a little breed." We are afraid that merely to put down on paper the problems which account for and sustain the armed vigilance of civilised peoples would, when we consider also the blind folly of the masses and the base pandering of statesmen to it, stay the efforts of the optimist and the philanthropist at starting. In plain truth, we are passing through an age of blood and iron—an age at which later generations will shudder with mingled feelings of pity and admiration, for great virtues go with these miserable animosities, and the various races, in their mad antagonism, struggle grandly, like contending forest-trees, up to the light of peace and goodwill.

How will that light come at last? Not, we believe, by diplomacy nor moral force, for it seems hardly possible that the elements collected for a conflict should dissipate themselves without the bursting eventually of the thunder-clouds. Yet war, if it is to befall, will prove so destructive in its course, so costly in its consequences, so utterly horrible, shattering, and ruinous, that it is sure to be avoided as long as may be, and made as decisive as possible when it must break forth. It will depend for its ultimate issues more upon resources than strategical skill, and this is in favour of nations like our own, which waste the smallest amount upon armaments, and, above all, do not bleed the young manhood of the Empire to death by conscription. Science, in producing more and more deadly inventions for offence and for defence, is meanwhile doing a silent work which promises to end in making warfare mutually fatal; and the gradually growing alliance of the Teutonic and Anglo-Saxon races, which have all their interests founded on concord, and are multiplying faster than the Latin or the Celt, must powerfully tend towards an eventual dictatorship of peace. To-day, if they pleased, England, America, Germany, and Austria could command the world to lay down its arms, and would have to be obeyed; yet who has a brain large enough to draw up a pacific programme for the present terms and future guarantees? We must be patient, and help the pacific tendencies of the age whenever chance arises. For the time being Hotspur was right: "This is no world To play with mammets and to tilt with lips: We must have bloody noses and cracked crowns, And pass them current too." None the less should we honour and thank his Holiness the Pope if he has so much as conceived the noble though visionary hope of a general disarmament in Europe. It is magnificent, although it is not statesmanship.

Were every person who visited the seaside in quest of health or amusement to meet with the same experiences as recently befell Mrs. West and Mrs. Perry at Sandgate, the popularity of our marine haunts of pleasure would be sensibly diminished. A special jury, presided over by the "last of the Barons," enjoyed the felicity yesterday of listening to the true tale of what happened to these unfortunate persons while walking by the sad sea waves; and the outcome of the case showed how deeply the jury sympathised with their wrongs. Mrs. West, the wife of a fireman, and her sister, Mrs. Perry, married to a photographer, were taking a walk along the Sandgate beach, accompanied, as it seems, by a child and a perambulator. While enjoying the freshness of the air and the beauty of the scenery the feminine couple suddenly came upon the sand not "a tress of drowned maiden's hair," nor anything half so romantic, but only a child's whip. According to what they told the jury, they took the whip up, carried it a little distance, and then threw it away. After a time they repassed the same spot, and seeing the toy still on the sand they picked it up and gave it to the child in the baby carriage. So ends Act One of this domestic drama of the seaside. The curtain rings down on a scene of calm and tranquil enjoyment—the baby occupied in cracking or sucking its whip, the mother and sister engaged in the pleasure of contemplating the infant phenomenon. Nothing could apparently have been more promising for the chances of a happy day at Sandgate; but the villain of the piece—not a villain in reality—was in ambush, and in the Second Act he is seen ruthlessly breaking up the contentment of this little family circle. Act Two opens with the same characters, in the same identical spot, enjoying what Mr. Lewis Carroll would call "a pleasant walk, a pleasant talk, Along the briny beach." To them, all of a sudden, appears a man—a stranger. He asks them if they have found a whip; and, as he considers their answer unsatisfactory, he flies to the quite unnecessary and wholly unjustifiable conclusion that they have stolen it. This precipitate gentleman was none other than the Manager of a Convalescent Home in connection with London missions, and it is very much to be regretted that he should have acted so foolishly as he did. For when Mrs. West and her sister had gone home the Convalescent Manager finds a policeman, goes with him to the house, and actually has the two women arrested for supposed theft! They are marched off to the police-station through the streets, although it seems that the constable did not insist on handcuffing them or subjecting them to too great indignity; they merely walked in front of him from their house to the police-office, and when arrived there they found that the inspector refused to take the charge—a very sensible course to adopt under such circumstances. Thereupon the husband of Mrs. West, his wife, and Mrs. Perry all join together in bringing an action for "false imprisonment" against the Convalescent Home Manager, and also for slander; and a strikingly sympathetic jury of their countrymen gave as damages a sum of two hundred pounds.

The case has an interest far beyond its bearing on the particular parties to the suit tried before Mr. Baron Huddleston; for it goes without saying that life at the seaside would become a positive misery if everybody who happened to find any small article of treasure-trove on the shore were to be liable to summary arrest, and a visit to the nearest police-station, amid the jeers of an inquisitive mob. Such incidents, we are glad to think, do not very often occur. As a rule, the unwritten law of the sands is observed religiously, and people who find things generally wait a little to see if anybody will come and claim them, and if this does not happen, and the article is of any value, the aid of the local police is called in, and a description of the find posted up at some public place. In most well-conducted watering-places there is a notice board, often enough two or three in different stationers' shops, where people who have lost articles can explain their wants, and others who have found things can advertise their readiness to refund them to the true owners. Now we are not called upon, nor were the jury, to decide with what exact motive the two falsely-arrested females of Sandgate had taken possession of the bauble that they found derelict on the sands. The Manager's version was that when they were asked whether they had a whip in their possession they said that they had thrown it away; whereupon he pulled up the apron of the perambulator, and found the whip there, which the women then averred was their own. His excuse, therefore, was that he had sufficient grounds to go upon when he denounced the wheelers of the perambulator as the stealers of the whip. Evidently the jury who awarded the exemplary damages did not think much of this plea; neither did the penultimate Baron, who refused to stay execution. It is therefore extremely likely that the Convalescent Manager will not in future be so singularly rash as he was on the occasion when he haled two perfectly innocent women to the police-station on a charge which he might have known was utterly trumpery and groundless. There must be some explanation of his conduct, but what it was is left obscure by the proceedings in court. Can it be that the gentleman in question was a philanthropist in disguise, who believed that it was dangerous for anybody to pick up whips on the sand, for fear of infection? As he came from a Convalescent Home this theory has a certain degree of plausibility; it must be easy to have infection on the brain after living for some weeks with patients just liberated from a fever hospital. All good little boys and girls are always warned, and quite properly, not to "pick up things," because "they don't know in whose hands they have been"; still, the best way to inculcate this lesson is certainly not to call in the civil power and invoke the strong arm of the law. Let us suppose a state of things so dolorous as that a little boy who found a spade on the sands, and began digging a castle or a moat therewith, should be liable to arrest. This would be the "reductio ad absurdum" of the theory on which the too impulsive Manager acted—the principle that "finding's stealing," and that a person who is in possession of an article that somebody else has dropped is necessarily actuated by base and felonious motives.

If there is one place where opportunities for petty larceny abound more than another, it probably would be found on the seashore at a busy watering-place when the season is at its height. Imagine all the different sorts of trifles that might be stolen if predatory folk were about! The little boys and girls take off their shoes and stockings, which are deposited by their mothers or nurses on the sands. Children carry spades and buckets, and have a juvenile habit of leaving them about when some new object of interest presents itself—say a jelly-fish, or a steamer in the offing. The elders, who are supposed to be watching the childish gambols and superintending the young ones, often immerse themselves in novels and newspapers, and are oblivious to what is going on; so that innumerable pairs of shoes and socks might be taken, and spades purloined. As for books and umbrellas and shawls which are left for minutes together on the sands by their owners, with fine confidence in the honesty of their fellow-creatures, their number is legion; and very frequently such articles are, as a matter of fact, walked off with; but it is highly ridiculous to suppose that, when a person picks up some object abandoned by its owner, the former must necessarily be a rogue and vagabond, a thief and rascal. If the inspector at the Sandgate Police-station had not been a sensible inspector and declined to take the charge, we do not know what might not have happened. A hasty abandonment of the sands by frightened parents might have resulted. Fears of instant arrest and of nights spent in the lock-up would have floated before the minds of mothers of families, and the children would have been sent instead to play inland, amidst the fields and woods, where they would have come under the incidence of the law of trespass. After this they would have been packed off back again to London, or such other place as they originally came from. Seriously there is nothing so much looked forward to in all kinds of households as the annual "villegiatura," the flight to the seaside for a month's sunshine and ozone. Paterfamilias should not have this pleasant time spoilt by the efforts of prowling detectives to arrest his children or family. What would the busy man of the world think, who sends his belongings down to Margate or Ramsgate, and receives a telegram next morning relating experiences of a night passed in a police-cell? His holiday would be spent in the exciting pastime of "bailing out" his offspring—a thing which he is accustomed to doing at the sea as regards boats, but not as regards children and wives. The fact is that in this, as in so many other cases, existence becomes impossible without a certain tolerance and common sense and charity with respect to the doings of other people. Why should anybody think that, because another person has a whip that he has picked up, he has what lawyers call the "animus furandi"? When the sands are crowded with little folk and their big protectors, there must be a certain amount of give-and-take practised; people who "take" what does not belong to them "give" it up again when asked, and when the claimant affords proof of ownership. It would be quite intolerable if persons in the position of Mrs. West and her sister were liable to be put in durance vile at the whim of any individual who construed their possession of a whip into an indictable offence. At the same time, so severe is the lesson which the jury in yesterday's case have read to the unfortunate Manager of the Convalescent Home, that we may take it for granted that neither he nor anybody else is likely to offend again in the same way against the amenities of seaside existence.

An old French chronicler, Rigord, in describing one of the victories of Philip Augustus, mentions that the German warriors whom the French King overcame were armed with swords, "the like of which had never been seen before." These weapons were long, thin, two-edged, and exceeding sharp from the hilt to the point to which the blade tapered—thorough cut-and-thrust instruments, indeed, which contrasted forcibly with the short swords, probably survivals of the Gallo-Roman dirks or "tucks," armed with which the fiery French rushed upon their foes and literally smote them under the fifth rib. When however, coats of mail were superseded by plate armour, the short sword gave way to the long broadsword, in the forging of which the French cutlers were doubtless only too glad to take lessons from the Teutonic armourers. The proficiency in sword-making which distinguished the ingenious artificers of the Fatherland in mediæval times would appear to have been transmitted in unimpaired excellence to their descendants at the present day; since in the House of Commons, on Tuesday, in reply to a question from Mr. Howard Vincent, Mr. H. Stanhope stated that some time ago certain skilled workmen were brought over to this country from Germany "to revive the art of sword-making," as the art in question had almost died out in England; but that nearly all these foreign mechanics would shortly return to their native country. At the first blush there would seem to be, in this official declaration, ample material for a most dolorous jeremiad on the progressive decline of technical skill among English artisans, and on the gradual displacement of native industries by alien ones. Why, it may not be unreasonably asked, should we send to Solingen for sword-makers? Have Sheffield blades lost their sharpness? Is there no longer any force or purport in the legendary song of Benjamin Birmingham, the resolute Midland tailor, who, as he sate at work, being troubled by an insect "the name of which signifieth love," straightway converted his shears into a sword and slew his diminutive but aggressive foe? "Right fol de ray, And so the Proud Tailor went prancing away!" Did we send to Solingen for sword-cutlers during that long and envenomed war with France which, with the exception of the two years' truce or so that followed the signature of the Peace of Amiens, lasted from 1793 to 1815? Was it with German-made sabres that Shaw, the Life-Guardsman, and the rest of the Household cavalry charged Napoleon's Old Guard at Waterloo? And, finally, it may be inquired, equally in sorrow and in anger, whether we ought not to be ashamed of ourselves for having suffered the art of sword-making almost to die out in England.

Such questions—and they are assuredly quite legitimate ones—may be, perhaps, most appropriately met by the reminder that, although we have been able to boast of the prowess of many generations of doughty swordsmen, the sword itself is scarcely, from a national point of view, an English weapon. Even our craft as common cutlers we borrowed from the foreigner. It is true that Chaucer, speaking of the whittler of Trompington, notes that "a Shefeld thwytel bare he in his hose," this instrument being a case-knife or whittle used for cutting food, and by no means unserviceable in giving the retort courteous in the shape of a stab under circumstances of provocation. It is nevertheless discoverable from the Custom House records that long before the reign of Henry VIII. we had an extensive import trade in knives and daggers; and it was not till the time of Elizabeth that the importation of edged tools was prohibited by statute, in order to encourage the native hardware manufactures of Salisbury, Woodstock, Godalming, and Sheffield. So early as 1417 the London cutlers obtained a charter from Henry V.; but it was not until 1624 that "the cutlers within Hallamshire," the district about Sheffield, were incorporated. English authority was, on the other hand, during a lengthened period, uneasily jealous of the assumption of swords by the commonalty; and in 1566 Queen Bess issued a peremptory proclamation "for the reformation of the abuses of great hose, swords, daggers, and other disorderly apparel." Her Majesty's views on this subject were accentuated fourteen years later, when at her command Lord Burleigh wrote to the Lord Mayor touching a search to be made among the cutlers for swords and daggers exceeding in length the limit prescribed in the Royal proclamation. It is easy to see, if we read between the lines of these official rescripts, that there was an inherent reluctance on the part of the governing classes to allow the plebeians to carry these weapons either for use or ornament. The unwritten feudal maxim was that the husbandman or villein was not to be allowed to draw a sword save when the land of his lord was in danger of invasion; at other seasons the blade was to rust quietly in its scabbard; but, as the feudal system grew weaker, some toleration was extended to the "pillow sword," a short and naked blade, which the peasant was permitted to keep at his bed-head to defend himself against nocturnal attacks. Peculiarly and almost exclusively the sword was the arm of the baron and the knight. It was not only the badge of chivalry, but the symbol of authority. At the investiture of a knight a sword was laid on his shoulder. Swords of State were borne before the Sovereign and the Lord Mayor. Not that the plebeian was by any means left unarmed. The national weapons were the bow and arrow. Your schoolboy of artistic tastes will always represent Philippe de Malvoisin and Brian de Bois-Guilbert as armed with trenchant two-handed swords; but it is with bows and cloth-yard shafts that he will never fail to invest Robin Hood and Little John, Allan a'Dale and the Pindar of Wakefield. Friar Tuck contented himself with a stout cudgel; but it might safely be wagered that the jovial anchorite knew something of archery to boot. There cannot, furthermore, be any doubt that the practical denial of sword and dagger to the common people, even down to Tudor times, acted as one of the most powerful factors in inculcating among the people a passionate affection for outdoor games and athletic exercises. Old visitors to England from foreign countries have described the British agriculturist as taking his beloved bow and arrow with him even into the field which he tilled; but a time came when the extended use of gunpowder brought the craft of the toxophilite almost wholly into desuetude. Nothing afeard, the English hind and the English yeoman, when they went to the wars, shouldered the pike or handled the matchlock; but at home, and in times of peace, they wrestled and belaboured each other with quarterstaves; and it is shrewdly to be suspected that "the noble art of self-defence"—fisticuffs to wit—took most kindly to English soil in consequence of the discouragement by the Government of the use of swords and daggers by the common folk. Our national horror of "the knife" is obviously due to the same cause, and, until the accursed revolver mania set in, there were very few Englishmen who were not imbued with a secret conviction that, if they were attacked, the use of their fists in defence was infinitely preferable to that of cold steel.

A whole library of books might be written, as voluminous and as entertaining as that of Sir Richard Burton, on the origin of swords; but all their conclusions might be briefly resumed in the postulate that man is a fighting and aggressive animal, congenitally disposed to hitting somebody with anything most convenient to his hand; that is to say, that there were wooden and stone and bronze swords long before there were steel ones, and that Cain slew Abel quite as efficiently with a club, or a branch of a tree, or a boulder, or a hatchet, as he would have done with a Saracen scimitar, or a Toledo rapier, or a Solingen sabre. Historically considered, however, the long, keen, smiting sword would seem to be an Oriental, and especially a Biblical weapon. Who has not shuddered at the terrible Vision of the Sword in Ezekiel? "It is sharpened to make a sore slaughter; it is furbished that it may glitter. . . . let the sword be doubled the third time, the sword of the slain. . . . Ah! it is made bright, it is wrapped up for the slaughter." This was the sword that flamed in thousands of combats in antique Asia, and that, becoming modified in the shorter glaives of Greece and Rome, yet held its own in the East, even to the days when Saladin exhibited the deftness of his swordsmen to Richard of the Lion Heart. That heroic warrior was not the only Crusader who came home from the East with greatly developed ideas respecting the use of the long, sharp, cutting sword, contrasted with the short, stabbing blade, which was little more than a bayonet with a hilt; and, while to the French has been rigidly adjudged supremacy in the use of the small-sword and in the art of "escrime" or fencing, the Germans must be recognised as occupying the foremost rank as makers of, and practitioners in, cut-and-thrust swords of serious gravity. Germany is the only civilised country in which University students slash one another's cheeks and noses with sabres nominally in single combat, but really for the fun of the thing. The Fatherland, moreover, has been averse from adopting the Gallic guillotine, and until very recently German capital criminals were decapitated with a long, two-handed sword, the impetus of which was enhanced by the blade being hollow and partially filled with quicksilver, so that as the sword, in a lateral sweep, descended on the neck of the culprit the dense metal within ran from the hilt towards the point. Finally, there are in the German Empire many hundred thousand more people, both civil and military, who wear swords than there are in England, so that the trade of the sword-cutler is a brisk and remunerative one. One reason of our own want of expertness in this particular branch of industry may be that as a rule we do not require a great many swords.

During the whole of yesterday Mr. Bright made a little more progress, but although it is soothing to his family to see him free from pain and apparently recovering, they do not rely with too much confidence upon this, remembering that he is still in a weak state. It is pleasing to know that her Majesty the Queen has sent several messages of inquiry and sympathy, and that the Prince and Princess of Wales kindly seek information at One Ash respecting the veteran statesman. One encouraging feature to record is that Mr. Bright himself declares that he feels better. A late telegram from Rochdale states that the improvement which Dr. Hayle had noted earlier in the day in the condition of Mr. Bright was maintained last night.

Inquirers at Mr. Balfour's residence yesterday afternoon were assured that he has progressed most satisfactorily. During the night he slept well, and he has taken nourishment with relish. He was up in his room the greater part of the day, but did not receive many visitors. Mr. W. H. Smith called in the afternoon, and had a long conversation with him. In order to avoid a recurrence of his cold it is understood that the right hon. gentleman will not leave his house this week.

In the division in the House of Commons yesterday morning, on the motion for leave to bring in a bill further to facilitate the purchase of land in Ireland by increasing the amount applicable for that purpose by the Land Commission, the majority of 330 (exclusive of tellers) consisted of 276 Conservatives, 52 Liberal Unionists, and 2 Gladstonian Liberals—Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Haldane. The minority of 246, apart from the tellers, was composed of 170 Gladstonian Liberals and 76 Irish Home Rulers, counting Mr. T. A. Dickson, member for St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, as belonging to the latter section.

The House will divide on the second reading of the Irish Land Purchase Bill in the course of to-night's sitting. It is expected that the Government majority will be even larger than on the occasion of the first reading. To-morrow the committee stage of the bill will be moved, and it is understood that the third reading will be taken, if needs be, by the application of the Closure in the course of next week.

Lord Randolph Churchill will speak in the debate to-night, and will, it is understood, call attention to the inconsistency of a large number of Conservative members who procured the abandonment of a measure of land purchase in 1886, and are now voting for an extension of Lord Ashbourne's Act.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach was accidentally shut out from the division on Mr. Gladstone's amendment to the bill. It seems that Sir Michael was in his room when the division bell rang, but did not hear it in time to get into the lobby. Sir Lyon Playfair and other Liberal Ministers in Mr. Gladstone's Government have had the misfortune to be excluded from divisions from the same cause owing to their rooms being so situated that it is impossible to hear the electric bells that summon the members to the House.

The selection of a Chief Commissioner of Police will be made at the Cabinet Council at the end of the week. There are very few serious candidates, and the choice practically lies between Mr. Monro and a distinguished outsider—that is, a gentleman unconnected with any police force or with either the navy or the army. The post which Mr. Monro now occupies at the Home Office, in case he succeeds Sir Charles Warren, will not be filled up.

In the event of Mr. Gent-Davis accepting the stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds, Mr. Frank Harris, who has returned from the Mediterranean, will offer himself to the electors of Kennington.

Parliamentary Business.—The House of Commons will meet at three o'clock this afternoon, when the principal business will be the further consideration of the Irish Land Purchase Bill. Mr. Hanbury will ask the Secretary of State for War whether it is the intention of the Government to contribute towards the cost of a suitable site to replace that hitherto used by the volunteers at Wimbledon; if so, whether the House will be afforded an opportunity of expressing its opinion upon any site involving national expenditure or a large grant of public property, and whether he has satisfied himself as to the accuracy of the reports made to the National Rifle Association and to the War Office, especially in the case of Cannock Chase. Questions are to be asked by Mr. Lawson as to the establishment of first-class postmen in the north-west district of London; by Mr. Howell, as to the resort by criminals to registered lodging-houses in the metropolis; by Mr. Norris, as to the opening of the British Museum on week-day evenings; and by Sir Joseph Pease, as to the power of the Corporation or other City authority to exercise an alleged obsolete right of measuring or weighing all coals coming within the Port of London, and to levy thereon dues of 8d or some other sum per ton.

On the re-assembling of the House of Lords on Tuesday next the Earl of Meath proposes to ask her Majesty's Government whether it is true that the Metropolitan Board of Works, in opposition to the wishes of the Vestry of St. Marylebone, have sanctioned, contrary to the Act 29th George III., chap. 88, buildings to be erected on the south side of Marylebone-road, east of Seymour-place, encroaching 35ft upon the 50ft from the margin of the road, within which distance, by the Act referred to, it is illegal to build; and, if so, whether they (the Government) will take steps to prevent the Metropolitan Board of Works from permitting the Marylebone-road to be thus narrowed, and the limited amount of breathing-space within the metropolis from being thus diminished.

Viscount Gormanston, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of British Guiana, being now in this country on leave, attended the House of Lords on Tuesday for the first time during the present Parliament, and took the oath as a peer of the realm.

Speaking at North Shields last night, Earl Spencer answered Mr. Balfour's Leeds speech. He denied in toto that he was guilty of illegality in mitigating Mr. Harrington's punishment, and read a letter he received at the time from Sir William Harcourt, which showed that the Secretary of State had such a power in England, and recommended its exercise in Ireland. If he broke the law, Mr. Balfour had done the same in the case of Irish priests, who wore their own clothes in prison. The Government said they were restoring order in Ireland, but he knew it to be a delusion.

Yesterday the appointment of Señor Albareda as Spanish Ambassador to Great Britain was gazetted at Madrid.

The Lord Mayor has consented to become president of the St. Bride's Youths' Institute during his year of office.

The Orient Line Royal Mail steamer Orizaba, which arrived at Plymouth yesterday, brought 5,594 carcases of mutton.

Volunteers and Mobilisation.—It has been decided at the War Office that during the next financial year no increase in the establishment of Volunteer corps shall be sanctioned, except in districts where the number of men locally required under the Home Defence Mobilisation Scheme has not reached the full quota. Any spare funds that may be available from the Volunteer votes in the Army Estimates are to be devoted to improvement in the training and equipment of the Force.

PARIS DAY BY DAY.

[BY SPECIAL WIRE.]

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

PARIS, Wednesday Night.

An earthquake in Paris! An oscillation of the soil on which stands the lively and brilliant capital of France is a tremendous sensation, indeed! Luckily, however, for the residents in this city and for the numerous cosmopolitan pleasure-seekers who patronise it, Paris has not yet suffered the fate which two years ago befel the beauteous resorts on the Riviera. Its "cloud-capp'd towers and gorgeous palaces" have not passed away, nor have its inhabitants been obliged to fly for their lives from falling rafters and crumbling houses. The Boulevards still exist, and are as gay and as animated as ever. The brazen or gilded letters on the balconies or fronts of public banks and places of note in Art, Trade, Finance, Costumery, and Confectionery glittered this morning as brightly as usual in the beams of a crisp hibernal sun, which was temporarily dimmed, however, by a heavy hailstorm—the first of the winter season—soon after the hour of lunch. The "gorgeous palaces" still remain, and the only "cloud-capp'd tower" which suffered was the unfinished one of the greatly daring M. Eiffel. The earthquake was, in fact, of small dimensions, and could hardly be said to attain the dignity of a terrestrial phenomenon of that description. It was simply a *secousse* or "sharp shock," which was caused by the weight of the metal buildings on the Champs-de-Mars. It occurred yesterday, but, owing to official reticence, it was known to very few persons in the heart of Paris until this morning. According to an account which I received on the spot this afternoon from one of the oldest and most trustworthy inhabitants of the neighbourhood of the great military school, the shock or trembling occurred about four o'clock yesterday morning. The whole surface of the Champs-de-Mars, whereon stand the vast metallic buildings of the approaching Universal Exhibition and the famous Tower of Babel, which is daily drawing nearer to the firmament, vibrated for a moment, and then there was a short, sharp crash of falling metal, wood, and mortar. The people living in the Avenue de Suffren, which bounds the Exhibition buildings on the West—that is to say, in the direction of Passy and Auteuil—were awakened rudely from their slumbers by the noise which the aforesaid oldest inhabitant graphically described to me as being like a fusillade of infantry. At first the people thought that the gigantic Nineteenth Century imitation of Babel had fallen, and eyes peered through the mists of the morning expecting to see only a mass of broken iron, demolished houses, and dying victims. On the Champs-de-Mars itself night watchmen, night labourers, and policemen were moving about by the light of lamps and torches. They went all over the ground, which is covered by the iron constructions, and at last found themselves before a heap of metal, wood and masonry, which blocked up the immense gate of the Palace of Fine Arts. This spot is close to the section of the Exhibition which is assigned to Paraguay, and fronts the beginning of the Rue Desaix and the offices of the Lyons Company of Mechanical Constructions, which are on the Avenue de Suffren, and within a minute's walk of the "mock Bastille." The whole of the big gate had fallen in, and had dragged with it a mass of masonry and timber. The finishing touches had been put to the work on Monday last, and the carpenters and constructors were to remove their scaffoldings yesterday. It is supposed that the accident was caused by the giving way of the central girders of the porch, on which an immense mass of iron rested. M. Alphand, Prefect of the Seine, was soon on the spot. He arrived on the Champ-de-Mars at six o'clock in the morning, just as the workmen were about to begin their daily toil. He gave orders for the discontinuance of the works in and around the Palace, and, as the men were lounging about in the neighbouring taverns, they were suddenly startled to see the big glass apertures in the building fly into atoms during a heavy gale of wind which, accompanied by rain, swept across the Champ-de-Mars shortly after noon. M. Alphand immediately ordered all labour in the shanties to be stopped. Luckily, however, no accidents have been reported, although it is said that two or three of the hands engaged among the iron rafters of the Palais had been flung to the ground by the storm. This, however, has not been confirmed officially, but, in any case, the double mishap has caused consternation all round the Champ-de-Mars and sensation in Paris itself. Only a few months ago a somewhat similar accident occurred, and it was said that several men were killed. The authorities, however, aver that nothing serious has taken place, and that the works of the Exhibition have not been slackened since last winter. On visiting the scene of the extraordinary shock this afternoon I noticed nothing abnormal about the appearance of the vast front and vestibule of the Palais des Arts Libéraux. There were heaps of rubbish near the building, but most of the fallen *débris* had been cleared away. In the meantime the labourers are all at work, as usual, in the iron buildings on the Champ-de-Mars, including M. Eiffel's Tower. Considerable crowds visited the works this afternoon, and the steps of the Trocadéro were full of groups of persons who were discussing the accidents as they took in a capital bird's-eye view of the tower; the long-roofed constructions flanked on either side by domes, one of which is gaily painted in blue and yellow with the letters "R. F." around it; and all the other metallic buildings which are to form the nucleus of the Great Universal Exhibition of 1889.

Public opinion seems disposed to pronounce M. Numa Gilly's "revelations" a failure. In the Lobbies of the Chamber this afternoon this was the view generally entertained. Of course, the book was the almost exclusive subject of conversation; but many persons regard the Mayor of Nimes as the victim of his own credulity. There is less excitement than might have been expected; but people are beginning to ask how long this curious reign of slander is to be tolerated, and the Moderate Republicans are significantly inquiring, What has become of the Government? "It is high time that the President should surround himself with councillors who are capable of directing the affairs of the State," exclaims one authority this evening. M. Wilson's "disclosures" are attracting more really serious attention than M. Gilly's "revelations." The son-in-law of M. Jules Grévy, who returned to Paris yesterday, is acting with cold calculation. He declares that he intends to pulverise his adversaries one by one, taking each in turn, but none together. M. Wilson explains that M. Veil-Picard is merely the first of a long list. He does not care what enemies he makes, and he does not think that M. Grévy will endeavour to dissuade him from carrying out his idea. He says that a day or two ago two members of M. Jules Ferry's Cabinet called at the mansion in the Avenue d'Iéna and implored M. Grévy to prevent what they termed a "scandal," but M. Wilson asks what they did for his father-in-law that he should interest himself in their "little affairs"—in short, M. Wilson is determined to ride on the whirlwind and direct the storm. Meanwhile fresh "revelations" are cropping up in other quarters. Thus, all the Senators and Deputies have received a letter from a M. Martin, who describes himself as an "ex-Agent of the Panama Company," averring that not only did M. Baihaut and M. Barbe, former Ministers of Public Works, accept presents from the Directors in exchange for their support, but that fifty Members of Parliament followed their example. M. Baihaut, who heard something of this in the trial at Nimes on Saturday, is very wroth. He declares that he never had dealings with M. Martin or any other agent of the Panama Company, and adds that he never speculated on M. Rousseau's Report on the work. That engineer was sent to Panama by his predecessor—M. Demôle—and when the Report was concluded, after M. Rousseau's return, M. Baihaut's colleagues asked him to receive it, but to keep its contents secret until the next Cabinet Council. In the interval there was no sensible change in the prices of the shares, and M. Baihaut remarks that had he wanted to make some money out of his information this was the period which he would naturally have selected. The next day a leading journal published a few lines on the subject unknown to himself, but prices went up, so that in no case could the famous fall be attributed to indiscretion on his part. M. Barbe, on his side, declares that these accusations are beneath contempt. M. Sarrien, however, ex-Minister of Justice and the Interior, has, *à propos* of the charge laid at his door by M. Gilly, indited a long letter to a provincial journal, in which he declares that M. de Noireterre never met with unfair dealing at his hands during his tenure of office. Then M. Gerville-Réache, stung to the quick at the abuse heaped on him by the Mayor of Nimes, has today addressed a letter to M. Ferrouillat, Minister of Justice, asking him to take immediate measures for the prosecution of M. Gilly, the trial to come off in Paris, where the famous "Dossiers" have been published. M. Gerville-Réache says that the libel begun at Alais, and continued at Nimes, has been definitively consummated in Paris through the issue of a volume in which, this time, he is manifestly designated; so, out of respect for his constituents and for the name he bears, he begs the Government to take the matter in hand without further delay. Meanwhile, M. Raynal's friends—M. Jules Roche and M. Martin-Feuillée—are still awaiting the arrival of M. Numa Gilly in Paris to demand an apology or satisfaction for their principal. M. Gilly remains at Nimes for the present, possibly because he is unwilling to face the storm which he has raised about him. All kinds of odd reports had been current. One was to the effect that he had injured his hand; another that he had hurt himself while cutting a corn; but this looked rather like a lame excuse. M. Gilly has since telegraphed that he is detained at home by his Municipal duties, so the meeting which was to have come off this evening at the Salle-Favié under his presidency has been postponed. There were some who affected to see the hand of General Boulanger in his disclosures; but in his "Dossiers" he publishes a letter purporting to have been written by General Boulanger in October, 1886, when he was Minister of War, to his colleague the Minister of Public-Instruction, announcing that he had accepted, with M. de Freycinet, M. Baihaut, M. Lockroy, and other members of the Cabinet, the honorary Presidency of the French Railway Jubilee, and soliciting his influence on its behalf. This letter is printed with a view to showing that the General was mixed up with a "shady transaction," but it rather demonstrates the total absence of all complicity on the part of the ex-Minister of War in M. Gilly's agitation.

M. Numa Gilly telegraphed to-day to M. Jules Roche and M. Martin-Feuillée—"M. Raynal gives me a *rendezvous* on the ground. I give him a *rendezvous* before the Assizes to which I am impatient to be summoned." It is more than probable that his wish will be complied with, as besides M. Gerville-Réache, the Deputy for the Department of the Hérault—M. Salis—has asked the Minister of Justice to prosecute him, as well as the publisher and printer of his "Dossiers." M. Salis is anxious that the trial should come off in his Department. To-night, too, it transpires that M. Andrieux has determined on taking action against the publisher alone, as being the more expeditious course—so M. Numa Gilly seems likely to have many affairs on his hands. The "Dossiers" were also referred to at a lively sitting of the Municipal Council to-day. M. de Ménorval having proposed that that body should order a certain number of copies of a work by M. Prat, entitled "Les Exploits du Deux Décembre," one of the Reactionaries called out "Why not subscribe to M. Numa Gilly's book?" This suggestion was actually put to the vote but rejected, it being afterwards decided that a thousand copies of M. Prat's volume should be bought.

Some sensation has been created in military circles by the removal of Colonel Pierre from the command of a regiment quartered in Paris to that of a corps stationed at Annecy. The head and front of the Colonel's offending has been his too great intimacy with General Boulanger. He was a fellow cadet of the General's at Saint Cyr, and when the latter went to the Ministry of War he remembered his old friend, who was then a major in the Regiment of Sapeurs-Pompiers here, and raised him to the command of an infantry corps. Since that date the General and the Colonel have met frequently, and the reason of the latter's transfer to another sphere of duty is to be found in the fact that he took with him a goodly proportion of his officers when he attended the marriage of Mdlle. Marcelle Boulanger with Captain Driant. Five police officials have just lost their posts owing to their sympathetic attitude on that occasion, and Colonel Pierre's case has—as we have seen—also been considered. He is reproached with having been too demonstrative in his relations with General Boulanger, and with having overlooked the fact that their old friendship compelled him to maintain a certain amount of reserve—in public, at least. Be this as it may, it is explained that his removal was in reality an act of kindness and consideration for his career, as he is now put out of the way of temptation, and can no longer compromise himself. His place here will be taken by Colonel Arvers, who has been holding a responsible appointment at the War Office. Oddly enough, this particular regiment is quartered within a very short distance of the Elysée and the Ministry of the Interior, and in the event of any disturbance arising in their neighbourhood would arrive on the spot long before any of the others—a contingency which the military authorities may possibly have taken into account when they determined on removing the gallant Colonel to Annecy.

A new league is rising in this age of leagues. Driven to desperation by the noise of the fair, which is at the present moment in full swing on the Boulevard de Clichy and the Boulevard Rochechouart, at no great distance from the Montmartre Cemetery, the inhabitants of this quarter, which can still boast a goodly sprinkling of artistic celebrities, are getting up a counter agitation. If the lions and tigers in the menageries encamped on the now dripping Boulevards render night horrible by their roars, the future leaguers intend to show that they also can make good use of their lungs. A preliminary meeting has been held, and the "Ligue Anti-foraine" will speedily become an accomplished fact. Henceforth war is to be waged against the fairs which thrive at regular periods in different parts of the metropolis and the suburbs. Painters, authors, doctors, and magistrates are joining the movement, which has been started under the auspices of M. Gérôme—himself a victim of the nuisance—and as the agitators are organising their campaign in the most practical and business-like manner, there is some reason for anticipating that success will eventually crown their efforts. Fairs will be banished from populous neighbourhoods, and possibly consigned to the vacant ground near the Fortifications. Weary toilers will again enjoy peaceful slumbers. The fairs in the resolution adopted with enthusiasm the other night were described, at M. Gérôme's instance, as "a scourge," and there is no doubt that they are a decided nuisance to the great majority of those unlucky persons under whose windows they take up their position; but the grand discovery was that made by M. Ferry, Mayor of the "Ninth Arrondissement" at present occupied by the acrobats and tamers, exhibitors of phenomena and dealers in nuts and gingerbread, who form the standing army of the "forains." Amid a thrill of horror M. Ferry announced that since the merry-go-rounds had made their appearance in the Ward its population had diminished to the extent of 16,000 souls. M. Ferry added that the Ædiles of the "Ninth Arrondissement" would support the league with all their influence, but he added a hint that it should lose no time in enlisting the sympathies of the all-powerful *concierges*. "They will get their tenants to sign the petition, as they do not like to be disturbed at night," he said. This argument we can well understand, but the connection between the introduction of the merry-go-rounds and the decrease of the population is still a mystery.

This afternoon the School of Horology in the Rue Manin, in which pupils are taught watch and clock making, was opened officially for the Winter Session by the Ministers of Commerce and Public Instruction. This school, which is under Government patronage and receives endowments from the Public Instruction Department as well as from the City of Paris, was founded in 1880, and now numbers sixty pupils, who are taught, besides their trade, mathematics, book-keeping, elementary mechanics, and drawing. The resident students pay a little over £4 a month for board and education, and the day students about half that sum. In the meantime, a private pedagogue has opened another school of a rather peculiar but no doubt useful character. It is situated in the Rue de Rivoli, and has in every particular the appearance of a bank. The windows are broad and large, and through them may be seen a dozen youths seated on high stools before long desks strewn with cashbooks and paper money. The youths would, no doubt, fully convey to indiscriminating and unobservant people the idea that they were bankers' clerks, but for the fact that they are given to much juvenile giggling and idle conversation while ostensibly engaged in casting up totals and working out percentages.

Waterloo veterans are still to be found in France, but it is doubtful if there are alive at the present moment many old campaigners who returned from Moscow under Murat, in the disastrous retreat of the Grand Army in November, 1812. One of those warriors, at least, lives in Bordeaux, and he will be 108 years old on Dec. 4 next—that is to say, on the seventy-sixth anniversary, or thereabouts, of the day when Napoléon issued his famous Twenty-ninth Bulletin at Malodeczno, and when, leaving the command of the Army to the King of Naples, he set out for Paris. This veteran, who is of Polish origin—by name Zalenski—lives at No. 4, Rue Lecoq, Bordeaux, and is in receipt from the State of a magnificent pension of forty francs a month.

On the Bourse to-day the last quotations were: Three per Cents., 83f 20c (a fall of 7½c); Four and a Half per Cents., 104f 40c (a fall of 7½c); Italians, 96f 80c (a fall of 10c); Turks, 15f 37½c (a fall of 10c); Spanish Exteriors, 73f 20c; Egyptian Unified, 410f; ditto Preference, 509f 50c; and Ottoman Bank, 529f. Suez Canal Shares closed at 2,227f 50c, and Rio Tinto at 650f. Home funds were weak to-day, as well as most of the foreign stocks. On the Petite Bourse to-night prices left off as follows: Three per Cents., 83f 17c; Italians, 96f 80c; Spanish Exteriors, 73 1-16f; Egyptian Unified, 408f 73c; Ottoman Bank, 527f 50c; and Rio Tinto, 648f 75c.

THE EUROPEAN SITUATION.

RUSSIA AND BULGARIA.

[TELEGRAMS FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.]

VIENNA, Nov. 21.

A false report that Prince Bismarck had been seized with a sudden indisposition affected to-day's Bourse unfavourably.

The Bulgarian refugees in Roumania and elsewhere, who have been patiently waiting for orders from the Russian Legation at Bucharest, have just received intimation that for some time to come their services will not be required. The Russian Government has resolved wisely to leave the Bulgarians to themselves for the present. The Czar gives them to understand that he is decided not to move a finger for them. The perverse Bulgars will probably greet this news as glad tidings of great joy. They do not want to be interfered with. All they ask is to be let alone.

According to advices from Warsaw the construction of the new railways and roads in Russian Poland, which was only to have begun next Spring, is to be entered upon without delay. The necessary material is to be supplied at once, and funds have been sent for the purpose to the local finance officials.

If appearances are not deceptive there are troublous times coming in Roumania, which is all the more to be deplored as the dynasty is not as popular as it deserves to be. Subversive doctrines have made great havoc amongst the peasantry, and the opinion of most foreign residents is that the slightest movement at Bucharest would be followed at once by a peasant rising. The danger, if not immediate, is by no means a remote one. It would be materially increased by a new electoral campaign.

The rumour that an attempt had been made last week on the life of Prince Ferdinand arose thus—a chimney in the Palace took fire and caused a thick volume of smoke to hang over the building, which was taken for the result of an explosion. The report that a revolution had broken out spread through the town, and a local correspondent sent the following telegram to Pirot:

"There is a revolution at Sofia; the mob has broken into the Palace; an attempt has been made to take the Prince's life."

BERLIN, Nov. 21.

The Bourse was flat to-day, partly because of advices from London that large amounts of gold had been withdrawn from the Bank, and partly because of a rumour that the Government requires 350 millions of marks for artillery purposes alone.

GERMAN COURT AND POLITICS.

[TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

BERLIN, Nov. 21.

This afternoon their Majesties gave a family dinner party of about thirty covers, in the Royal Castle, in honour of Kaiserin Friedrich's birthday. The words printed in the Court circular of the *North German Gazette* in reference to this occasion are significant. They run as follows:

> Her Majesty the Kaiserin Friedrich celebrates to-day her forty-eighth birthday in strictest retirement in the family circle of Windsor Castle. It is due to the fact that her Majesty is not in Berlin that that expression of respectful homage and most heartfelt sympathy cannot be given as is usual on this day; but all hearts will turn more fervently than ever to the illustrious Princess now staying abroad, and will think, full of loyal affection, of the severe sorrow that has befallen her Majesty in the year now coming to a close; with these thoughts, too, will be associated the wish that God may give strength to her Majesty, so severely tried as she has been, to support the bitter trial by which two nations were placed in such deep mourning.

The *Post* says:

> To-day her Majesty the Kaiserin Friedrich celebrates her birthday in her native country, and in her mother's house. The deeply tragical fact which has befallen her this year, and the courage with which she has borne it, will meet with sympathy and admiration on the other side of the Channel, as well as in her second Fatherland. May this strength which her Majesty, our Kaiser's mother, has exhibited suffice to overcome, in course of time, an infinite pain, and may Providence open up for her in a glorious reign of her son, joys which may make her forget the loss she has suffered, and compensate the mother for what the wife no longer possesses.

All public buildings are beflagged, and the usual military honours have been observed.

To-morrow Kaiser Wilhelm will open the new Reichstag Session in person. It is said that the Government desires to have the elections for the next Reichstag in the Autumn of 1889 instead of the year after, and the reason given is that the Socialist Law may be prolonged. The organ of the National-Liberals considers this would be a highly inexpedient course, as that would naturally provoke a Socialist agitation before the new elections.

A bill has been laid before the Federal Council for approval, authorising the Government to offer a prize of £5,000 for the best model of a memorial to Kaiser Wilhelm the First.

CHARING-CROSS HOSPITAL.

The triennial festival dinner in connection with Charing-cross Hospital took place last night at the Whitehall Rooms of the Hôtel Métropole, the Earl of Derby presiding. There was a good attendance, including Lord De L'Isle, Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Biddulph, K.C.S.I., Sir W. Guyer Hunter, K.C.M.G., M.P., Mr. J. B. Martin (treasurer), Dr. A. J. Pollock (senior physician), and Captain Clifford Probyn. Charing-cross being the first metropolitan hospital in which her Majesty established a Victoria ward, the toast of "The Queen" was received with special enthusiasm.

In proposing "The Army and Navy," the noble Chairman said he did not share the gloomy views of many people in regard to the peace of Europe; but for the sake of preventing panics and quieting the public mind he thought England was justified in making large preparations.

Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Biddulph and Captain Clifford Probyn responded.

The Earl of Derby, in submitting the toast of "Prosperity to Charing-cross Hospital," reminded the guests that hospitals were not limited in their functions to the relief of individual suffering, but also to the furtherance of schools of medical science, by the existence of which none benefited more than those who were never likely to enter the doors of a charitable institution except as visitors. Many persons regarded hospitals as a safe investment, through the instrumentality of which they could discharge their duty to society, and especially to the poorer classes. The great difficulty was how best to protect these institutions from the abuse of those who were well able to provide medical treatment for themselves. On this point he welcomed the scheme of provident dispensaries working in connection with the great hospitals. (Cheers.) As to Charing-cross Hospital in particular, the governors were confident of its future prosperity. Since the last triennial festival, a children's ward, an accident ward, and certain improvements in the operating theatre had been carried out. Some 5,800 accident cases had been dealt with. On the day of the Trafalgar-square riots seventy-five cases were received in three hours. (Laughter.) On Jubilee day ninety-five persons were admitted. The last three years had been the most prosperous in the history of the hospital, 4,800 in-patients and 66,000 out-patients having been treated. Out of the thirty beds which the authorities had been compelled to close during hard times, twenty-five had now been opened. The income of the hospital had been sufficient to meet the general outlay, to pay for the necessary buildings, and to put by £6,000. (Cheers.) For their future developments the governors of the institution required £20,000, which they were confident of getting. No family had been more helpful to the hospital for many years than one, the name of which was associated with the daily press of London—he referred to the name of J. M. Levy. (Cheers.) At the last triennial festival, gifts from that family were announced to the extent of £4,000; and he (the noble chairman) was now happy to say that the governors had in addition received from Miss Matilda Levy a gift of £1,000 in memory of her father. (Cheers.)

Mr. John B. Martin, the treasurer, acknowledged the toast.

It was announced during the evening that the donations incidental to the festival, including the £1,000 from Miss Levy, amounted to £3,550.

ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

Last evening the Hon. J. Russell Lowell was the guest of the Liverpool Philomathic Society, and, in responding to the toast of his health, said that, as a diplomatist in this country, it was his endeavour to maintain friendly relations between England and America. Lately there had been a little tension in the relations between these countries, which, he could not help thinking, was the result of a little irritation on both sides; but he had always felt that nothing was more foolish, and that nothing ought to be more rigidly left to children than the "You're another," because there were occasions when these words might be used with very disastrous effects. When they looked at the enormous extension of the English-speaking race; when they considered this growth, they found it a remarkable fact and one which no thoughtful man could help observing and reflecting upon. The English was the greatest of the colonising races, which was a great distinction and ennobled a nation; and she had put a girdle of three prosperous and vigorous communities round the globe, and it seemed to him that nobody who looked far could help seeing that the time might not be far distant when the good understanding amongst all those English-speaking peoples, with their enormous power, might have great weight in deciding the destinies of mankind. He was one of those who believed that civilisation and freedom were better married than divided, and the duty which had been laid upon the English-speaking race had been ever to carry forward the great lessons of liberty, combined with order. That was the great secret of civilisation. They might have their different laws and forms of government, but so long as they sympathised with any idea that so far transcended all geographical boundaries and all municipal limits as that, he thought they would agree with him that nothing could be more important than to preserve the friendliest relations between the two greatest representatives of this conquering and colonising race.

The Court.

WINDSOR CASTLE, Nov. 21.

The Queen drove out yesterday afternoon, accompanied by their Royal Highnesses Princess Beatrice and Princess Margaret of Prussia.

His Excellency the German Ambassador had an audience of the Queen in the afternoon, and had the honour of dining with her Majesty and the Royal family in the evening. Count Seckendorff and Baron Reischach had the honour of being invited.

To-day being the anniversary of the birthday of the Empress Frederick of Germany, her Imperial Majesty received the German Ambassador and the Gentlemen of the Embassy, and afterwards the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Queen's Household.

The Queen went out this morning with the Empress Frederick of Germany and the Princesses Victoria and Sophie of Prussia.

The Dowager Lady Churchill has succeeded the Dowager-Duchess of Roxburghe as Lady in Waiting to her Majesty.

Her Royal Highness Princess Louise (Marchioness of Lorne), attended by Lady Sophia Macnamara, arrived at the Castle.

BIRTHDAY OF THE EMPRESS FREDERICK.

The forty-eighth birthday of the Empress Frederick was celebrated yesterday at Windsor Castle, where her Imperial Majesty and her daughters, Princesses Victoria, Sophie, and Margaret, are now residing with the Queen. The streets of the Royal borough in the vicinity of the Palace were festively decorated with bunting, and the Corporation Standard was displayed above the Guildhall. The bells of St. George's Chapel and St. John's Church rang out at intervals, and the band of the Grenadier Guards played in the morning on the Castle Hill. The first ceremonial after the Empress had received the congratulations of the Queen and Royal family was the reception by her Imperial Majesty of Count Hatzfeldt, who has been staying at the Palace, and the members of the German Embassy, who went to Windsor Castle shortly after ten o'clock to pay their respects to the Empress and present a magnificent bouquet of the choicest flowers as a birthday offering. A salute was fired at one o'clock in the Long Walk. Princess Louise (Marchioness of Lorne) arrived at the Castle shortly before two o'clock, and took luncheon with the Royal and Imperial party.

The Mayor (Mr. G. H. Peters) and Corporation of Windsor proceeded in state to the Castle shortly before three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of presenting a beautifully-illuminated address to the Empress. Her Imperial Majesty, who was accompanied by her daughters, received the deputation in the Corridor, and informally expressed her gratification at the kind feeling which had prompted its attendance. Mr. G. H. Long, the Town Clerk, then read the address, which was as follows: "To her Imperial and Royal Majesty the Empress-Queen Frederick of Germany.—We, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the ancient Borough of New Windsor, humbly desire to express to your Imperial Majesty that your person is held in the highest esteem and affectionate regard by all, from the highest to the most humble, in this your native land, and more especially by the inhabitants of Windsor, where your Imperial Majesty is so well known. We venture to take this opportunity of presenting our sincere congratulations on the birthday of your Imperial Majesty, and trust that the future may have in store for your Majesty many bright and happy years."

The Mayor, in presenting the address, assured her Imperial Majesty that it contained, not only the sentiments of the Corporation, but also those of the residents of the Royal borough, where she was so much beloved.

The Empress Frederick made a very gracious reply, and observed that it was a comfort, in the time of her great affliction, to receive in her native country the good wishes and congratulations which had been offered. Her Imperial Majesty also expressed her appreciation of the beautiful appearance of Windsor on the day of her entry, and the loyal feeling which had brought the Corporation to the Castle.

The deputation then withdrew from the Palace.

The Empress received a number of birthday gifts in the course of the day. The Queen had a dinner party in the evening.

The Empress Frederick and her daughters attended the evening service at St. George's Chapel.

TO-DAY'S ARRANGEMENTS.

First Dances of the Prince's Cinderellas, Princes' Hall, Piccadilly (sixth annual series), in aid of the Chelsea Hospital for Women.
Philosophical Club—Second Dinner of the season, at Willis's Rooms, St. James's.
Lord Northbrook distributes prizes at the Birkbeck Anniversary Meeting, the Lord Mayor in the chair, 7 o'clock.
Dr. Dallinger addresses the Wesley Scientific Society, at the Mission House, Bishopsgate-street Within, 7.30.
Sir William Marriott, M.P., Judge-Advocate-General, at the Poplar Conservative Association, 8 o'clock.
Racing.—Manchester November Meeting (first day).
Football.—Old Etonians v Eton College (A), at Eton; Hawick v Maoris (R), at Hawick.

In consequence of the indisposition of her Royal Highness Princess Christian, the meeting of the Cyprus Society, which was to have taken place at 24, Park-lane, to-morrow, has been postponed.

Lord Carnarvon, Lord-Lieutenant of Hampshire, has, in response to several memorials, offered himself as a candidate to represent the Highclere Division of the Hants County Council.

Mr. C. T. Ritchie, M.P., President of the Local Government Board, will preside at the 224th Anniversary Dinner of the Scottish Corporation, which will take place at the Hôtel Métropole, on the 30th inst.

Yesterday being Grand Day of Michaelmas Term at the Middle Temple, the Treasurer, the Right Hon. Sir Henry James, Q.C., M.P., and the Benchers entertained the following guests at dinner: The Duke of Teck, the American Minister, the Marquis of Lothian, the Earl of Lathom, the Right Hon. A. J. Mundella, M.P., the Right Hon. H. H. Fowler, M.P., the Lord Mayor of London, the Lord Advocate for Scotland, Mr. Justice Kay, Sir Patrick Colquhoun, Q.C., Mr. Hugh Shield (Treasurer of Gray's Inn), the Equerry to the Duke of Teck, the Rev. Canon Ainger, and the Under-Treasurer.

The Rev. A. E. Johnson, M.A., has been presented to the vicarage of St. Bartholomew's, Great Harwood. The living is valued at £400, with residence.

Mr. John Stratford Dugdale, Q.C., M.P., Recorder of Birmingham, has been elected a Bencher of the Honourable Society of the Inner Temple, in succession to the late Mr. Venables, Q.C. Mr. Dugdale was called to the Bar in 1862, was appointed Recorder of Birmingham in 1877, and created a Queen's Counsel in 1882.

The President of the Board of Trade has appointed Mr. Worsfold Mowll, solicitor, to be Official Receiver of the East Kent Bankruptcy Court, in succession to Mr. Leslie Creery, who has resigned on account of ill-health.

A house dinner was held last night at the Constitutional Club, Lord Charles Beresford, C.B., M.P., in the chair. Among the speakers were the Earl of Belmore and the Hon. G. Curzon, M.P.

The members of the Eighty Club held an "At Home" at the Westminster Palace Hotel last evening. Sir William Harcourt, Mr. Marjoribanks, Sir Wilfrid Lawson, Mr. F. A. Channing, Mr. Asquith, Mr. Haldane, Sir Charles Russell, Mr. B. Coleridge, Sir T. Mappin, Mr. Bowen Rowlands, Mr. W. A. M'Arthur, Sir U. Kay-Shuttleworth, Mr. H. H. Fowler, Mr. A. Morley, and other members of Parliament attended. There were about 150 gentlemen present altogether, including Lord Aberdeen and Earl Compton. The proceedings were mainly of a conversational character, but before the company separated Sir W. Harcourt, Lord Compton, Sir W. Lawson, and others briefly spoke.

A Reuter's telegram, dated Melbourne, Nov. 21, states: "The drought continues, and is seriously affecting pastoral and agricultural interests. It is expected that both the wheat harvest and the wool supply will consequently be deficient. Numerous bush fires are reported from various districts."

Yesterday afternoon, in St. Peter's Church, Eaton-square, took place the marriage of Captain the Hon. Edward B. Stopford (Royal Irish Fusiliers), second son of the Earl of Courtown, with Isabel, daughter of the late Captain Barrington Dashwood. The Hon. George Stopford, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man, and the six bridesmaids were—the Hon. Ethel Manners, Miss Adye, Miss Horatia Stopford, Miss de Courcy Buller, and Miss Dorothy Birch, cousins of the bride; and Miss Norah Shelley, niece of the bridegroom. They wore Directoire costumes of cream cloth, trimmed with embroidery, over tan-coloured silk petticoats, and brown and cream hats to match. Each wore, as brooch, a gold and silver grenade, the badge of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, the bridegroom's gift, and carried a bouquet of tan chrysanthemums. The bride arrived at 2.30, and was conducted to the chancel by Lord Manners, her cousin. The bride wore a dress of white brocaded satin, trimmed with old Brussels lace, sprays of orange blossom in her hair, and a tulle veil fastened with diamonds. The service was fully choral, the Rev. Hy. Eyre, cousin of the bride, officiating, assisted by the Rev. George Ram, cousin of the bridegroom. Mrs. Dashwood gave her daughter away, and afterwards entertained the wedding party at her residence in Chester-square. Among the relatives and friends attending were the Earl of Courtown, Dowager Lady Manners, Viscount Stopford, the Countess of Malmesbury, Lord and Lady Manners, Dowager Lady de Ramsey, the Ladies Charlotte and Eleanor Stopford, and others. Later in the afternoon the Hon. Edward and Mrs. Stopford started for Ireland, where they will spend the honeymoon.

Wreck of a French Barque.—A Reuter's telegram from The Hague states that the French barque Ango, of Vannes, bound from Grimsby for Buenos Ayres, was wrecked yesterday off Scheveningen. All on board, it is feared, have perished, except two persons who were cast up alive on the beach.

The Licensing Question.—Mr. Geo. Allsopp, M.P., last evening presided over a banquet in connection with the Licensed Victuallers' Association, and, in proposing "Success to the Society," severely criticised the change of front on the Licensing question exhibited by Sir William Harcourt at Manchester. Sir William attributed his conversion to local option to the experience gained during his year of office as Home Secretary. Why (said the speaker) did he not avow it at the time and back it up with the full weight of his official capacity, instead of waiting until 1888, when he held a responsible position. The explanation was one which no sensible person would accept, for what assurance was there that in the near future this interesting chameleon would not once more change colour?

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LADIES of NEGLECTED EDUCATION [illegible]

A YOUNG LADY, wishing to finish her EDUCATION [illegible]

COMMERCIAL EDUCATION.—KING'S COLLEGE SCHOOL. [illegible]

FRENCH LANGUAGE, by a Parisian B.A. [illegible]

MEMORY.—LOISETTE'S SYSTEM [illegible]

A CAMBRIDGE GRADUATE [illegible]

REV. [illegible] HANLEY, M.A. [illegible]

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS, KING'S [illegible]

[illegible]

DANCING.—Mr. BLAND and DAUGHTERS [illegible]

DANCING ACADEMY [illegible]

DANCING.—AMBIDEXTERIZATION [illegible]

DANCING.—BERESFORD ASSEMBLY ROOMS. [illegible]

DANCING.—HANOVER ROOMS ACADEMY. [illegible]

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YOUNG lady WANTED, as NURSERY GOVERNESS, and Mother's Help, as soon after Christmas as possible. Requirements, good English, music, rudiments of French. Church of England. Comfortable home, and treated as one of the family. Good plain needlewoman preferred.—Address Mrs. Ash, The Cottage, Fairfield, Buxton, Derbyshire.

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YOUNG man WANTED, in a West-end dairy, as FOREMAN of ROUNDS, and to assist generally. Must be a good writer and have had good experience in canvassing.—Apply by letter to Manager, 5, Carlos-street, Grosvenor-square.

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MESSRS. DOWSETT and CO. are instructed to SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on THURSDAY, Dec. [illegible]

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MESSRS. TOOTH and TOOTH (late Oxenham) will SELL by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, as above, [illegible] HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE [illegible]

MESSRS. EASTMAN BROTHERS will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, E.C., on TUESDAY, Nov. [illegible]

ANERLEY.—[illegible]

SYDENHAM.—[illegible]

MESSRS. L. E. BLACKWELL and CO. have received [illegible]

MESSRS. BRANCH and LEETE, at the LAW ASSOCIATION ROOMS, [illegible]

MESSRS. ASH and EDWARDS will SELL by AUCTION, at their LARGE ROOMS, [illegible] THIS EVENING, [illegible]

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No. 45, Oxford-street.—This Day (Thursday), Nov. 22, at eleven precisely, about 450 lots of genuine Household Furniture and Effects, removed from a residence at Croydon, also from [illegible]

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Ansdell	Cooper	Wouvermans	Faed
Constable	Turner	Etty	Morland
Vickers	[illegible]	Wilson	O'Connor

And others; also water colours, drawings, frames, &c.—On view [illegible]

By order of the Royal College of Surgeons.—Crystal Palace District [illegible]

THURGOOD and MARTIN have received instructions to SELL by AUCTION, at the AUCTION MART, [illegible] on THURSDAY, Dec. 6, [illegible] CRYSTAL PALACE DISTRICT GAS COMPANY, [illegible]

WEATHERALL and GREEN will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 12, [illegible]

WEATHERALL and GREEN will SELL by AUCTION, at the MART, on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 12, [illegible] LEASEHOLD [illegible]

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COOK and SMITH will SELL by AUCTION, as above, THIS DAY, Nov. 22, [illegible]

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ALDRIDGE'S, London (established 1753).—SALES by AUCTION of HORSES and CARRIAGES EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, [illegible] W. and S. FREEMAN, Proprietors.

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STAPLETON'S REPOSITORY.—SALES by AUCTION EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, [illegible]

STAPLETON'S.—THIS DAY, 17 DRAUGHT HORSES, from the Great Eastern Railway Company, by AUCTION, [illegible]

STAPLETON'S.—THIS DAY, 13 HORSES, from the North Metropolitan Tramways Company, by AUCTION, [illegible]

STAPLETON'S.—THIS DAY, HORSES, from the London General Omnibus Company, [illegible]

BARBICAN ROYAL REPOSITORY.—Job Horses.—[illegible] Mr. SYMILL will SELL by AUCTION, TO-MORROW (Friday), [illegible]

BARBICAN.—Irish Horses.—Mr. SYMILL will SELL by AUCTION, TO-MORROW (Friday), [illegible]

BARBICAN ROYAL REPOSITORY.—N. E. Rly.—[illegible] Mr. SYMILL will SELL by AUCTION, TO-MORROW (Friday), [illegible]

BARBICAN ROYAL REPOSITORY.—By order of the Executors of the late Mr. T. Lee, [illegible] CART HORSES, [illegible]

HUNTER SALE.—Mr. WARD, instructed by several [illegible] will SELL by AUCTION, [illegible]

EDGWARE-ROAD HORSE REPOSITORY, Paddington.—SALES by AUCTION of HORSES, CARRIAGES, &c., EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY, [illegible]

ELEPHANT and CASTLE HORSE REPOSITORY, New Kent-road, London.—SALES by AUCTION of HORSES, Carriages, and Harness EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, [illegible]

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